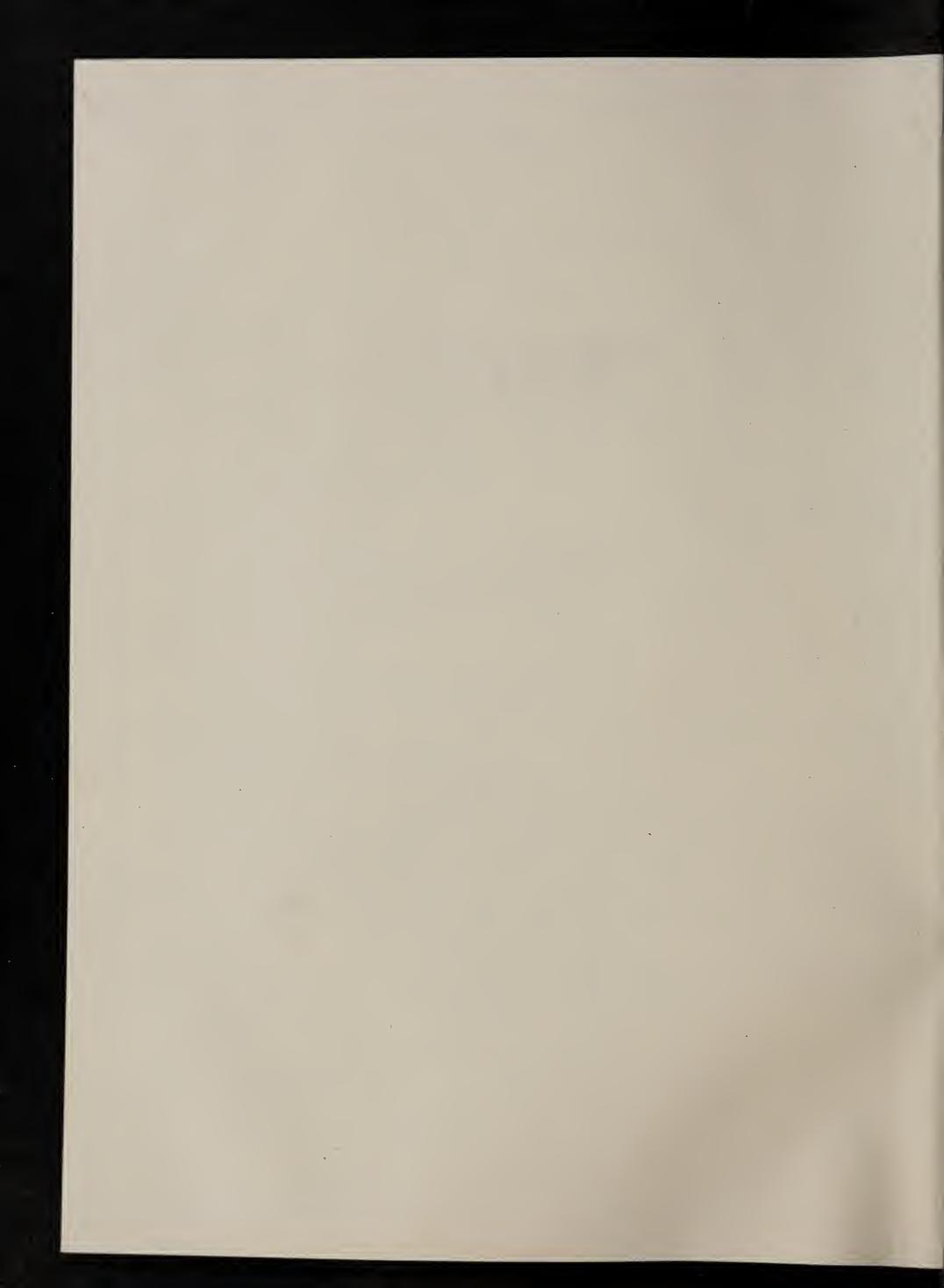


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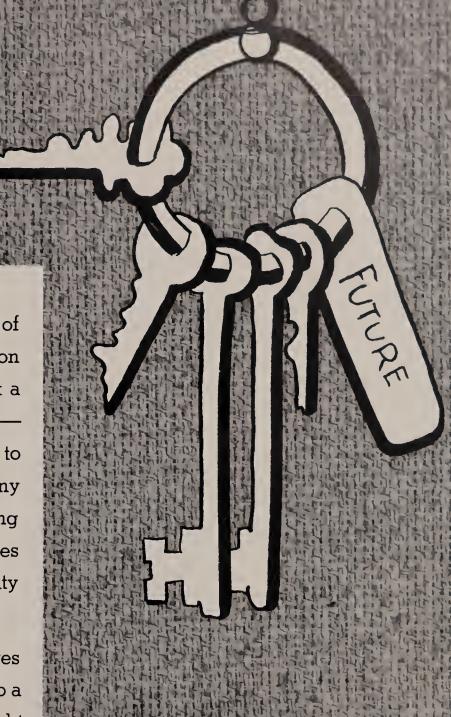
Usually we think of a key as a flat, odd-shaped piece of metal. It can be used to begin motion — the ignition key of a car, the key to wind a clock, the key to start a mechanical toy; or it can be used to present adventure — skeleton keys to open any door, to unlock boxes, and to reveal the contents of a trunk kept in the attic for many years. When we know from everyday use what is going to happen once the key is turned, the event becomes uninteresting, but a locked container arouses curiosity and an eagerness to know what it holds.

There is the same wonder about our unforetold futures and what they hold in store for us. In order to enter into a successful career we must be careful to choose the right

keys to open the doors which will determine the success of our lives. The keys we shall use are the characteristics we develop during the time we are of school age. These traits have the same general functions as tangible keys in that they also have the ability to "begin" and to "present." They can start us off well in our chosen vocations and they can give us the assurance that we need to answer the challenges of the world today.

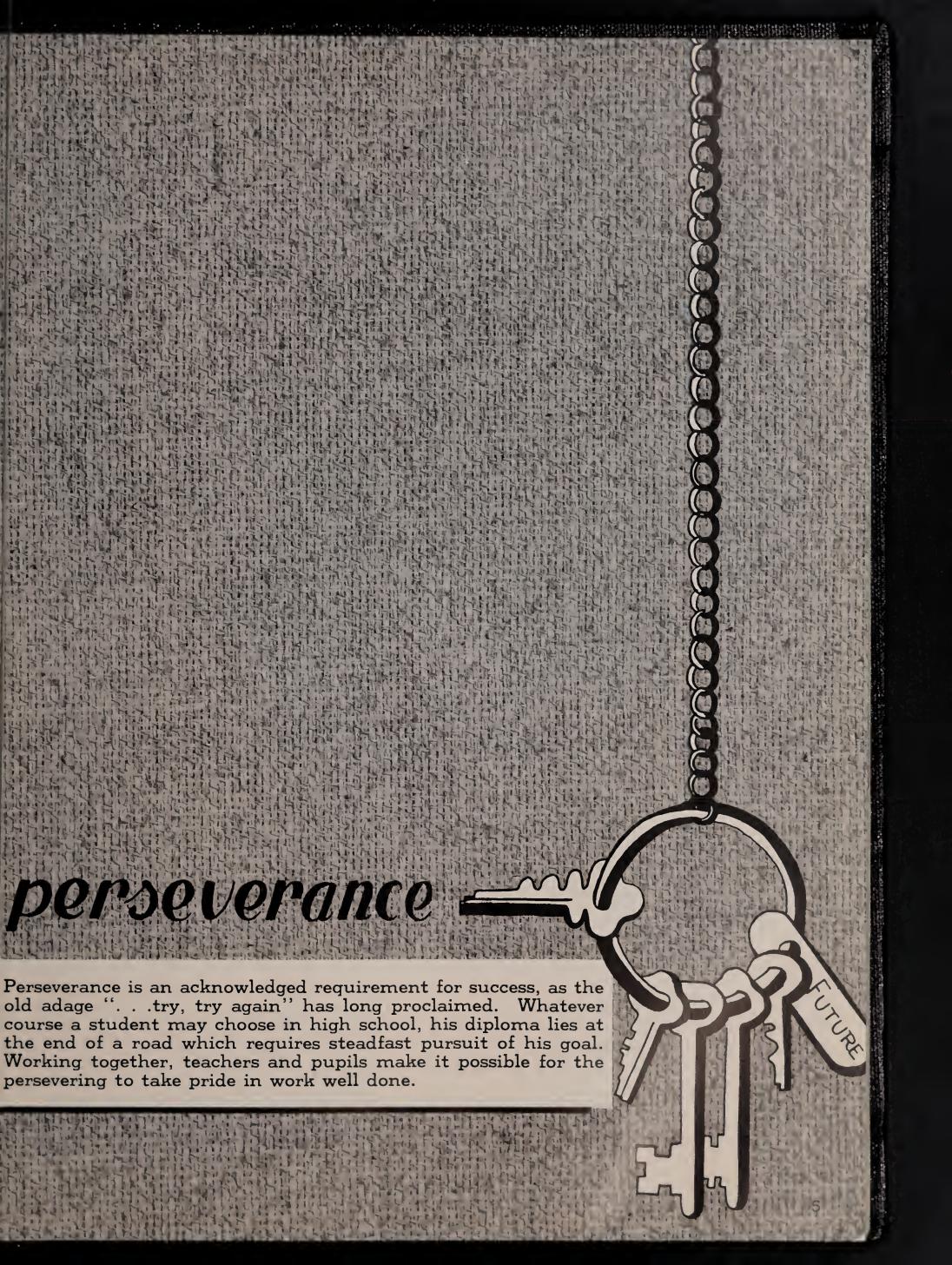
The keys which we may use are many. Each of our school activities helps to develop in us such desirable qualities as Responsibility, Perseverance, Sociability, Cooperation, and Confidence. In our 1954 Pioneer we have centered the record of our days at Reading High around these characteristics and the activities which help us to achieve them.

Throughout our lives numberless opportunities will knock. We have only to acquire the key, open the door, and welcome the chance.



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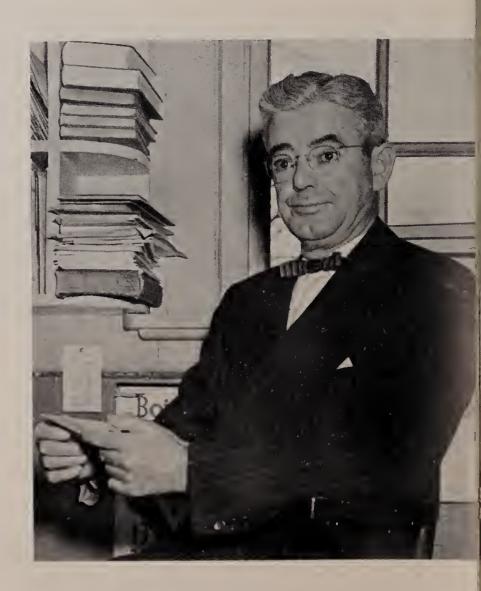


MR. RUDOLF SUSSMANN

Our Principal, Mr. Sussmann, sets us an example of perseverance by giving us at Reading High School his devoted attention and assistance. He is just in his decisions and patient with those who need guidance or help. Because of his education and experience, we know that we can place our confidence in his advice and counsel.

MR. LUKE HALPIN

Mr. Halpin, our Assistant Principal, guidance counselor, and loyal friend, is always urging us to do our best. He methodically and diligently points out to us the colleges and occupations which are best suited to our interests and abilities. All of us are glad to have him back at school this year.





english and history



Seated: Mrs. J. R. Cutcliffe, Miss M. E. Shay, Mrs. C. B. Abbott. Standing: Miss V. Cox, Miss E. A. Batchelder.



Mr. R. Bronner, Mr. W. E. Hanlon, Mr. A. C. Bennett.

Each year English gives us five of those fifty-seven magic points necessary for graduation . . . our understanding of men and society is increased by our study of literature . . . our study of language aids our oral and written expression . . . All courses in History except the required U. S. History are elective . . . whether we choose to study ancient or modern times, the History Department offers a comprehensive program.





math and science



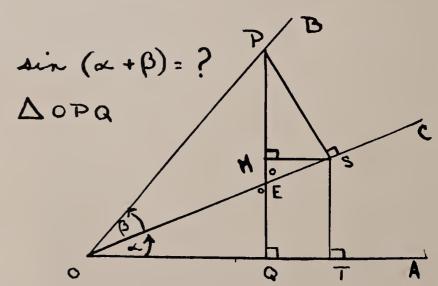
Mr. J. F. Fitzgerald, Mr. L. Halpin, Mr. C. W. Baker.



Seated: Miss H. R. Zimmermann, Mr. F. J. Pope, Mr. P. A. Wogan. Standing: Mr. H. N. Soule.

Mathematics, compulsory for all students, ranges from Practical Math to the enigmatic "C.P. 3" . . . among its objectives is that of helping us to think out our future problems logically and systematically. . . . Science courses, too, are offered in wide variety . . . generally involve much hard and interesting work . . . these courses help us to develop a scientific approach in our thinking . . . stimulate an interest in the wonders of our world.





language and commercial



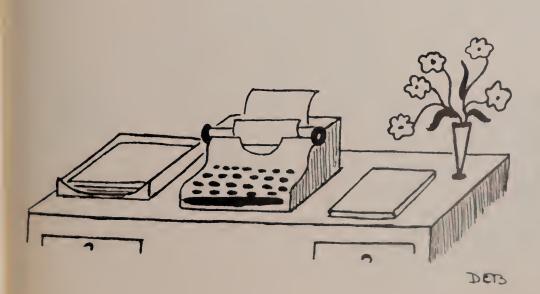
Mr. A. L. Spencer, Mr. E. W. Roewer, Miss R. E. Chiesa.





Miss S. W. Kling, Miss A. F. Drury, Mrs. A. H. Franzen.

French, Latin, Spanish . . . help develop a better understanding of our own language . . . widen our knowledge of people of other lands and other ways of life . . . vocabulary lists, idioms, extensive translation, outside reading . . . all add up to an appreciable amount of homework every night . . . Commercial Courses . . . stenography, typewriting, bookkeeping . . . require speed and accuracy . . . train the kind of office worker every employer hopes to find.







music, library, art, and athletics



Mr. H. W. Wegiel, Mrs. E. H. Macdonald, Miss G. F. Roy, Mr. J. D. Oliver.



Mr. J. A. Crowley, Miss F. G. Nichols, Mr. P. W. Althoff.

Art . . . acquaints us with the elements and principles of design . . . furnishes many outlets for creative talents Music . . . leads to good listening . . . promotes spirit at games . . . provides fun and entertainment through the annual production . . . Library . . . a quiet place for research and study . . . important in the quest for "a good book" . . . Athletics . . . gym classes . . . team sports . . . All part of the plan to build sound tastes and interests.





practical arts and guidance





Mr. R. E. Macdonald, Mr. F. C. Wales, Mr. R. Austin.



Mr. R. Bronner, Mr. L. Halpin, Mr. C. W. Baker.

Practical Arts... with results both artistic and practical... from attractive, nutritious meals and well-made clothing to handsome products in wood and metal... Guidance... testing programs, films, conferences... helps us select the courses fitted to our needs and abilities... aids in planning for the years beyond high school... offers us opportunities to meet capable leaders in many fields for discussion and counsel.







Front Row: Lois Bartosch, Linda Long, Karen Metcalf, Marcia Johnson, Ruth Campbell, Donald Dolben, Herbert Scheiner. Back Row: Gerald Surette, Marilyn Rogers, David Johnson, Edwin Healy, Marilyn Beck, Barbara Snow, Stanley Maxwell.

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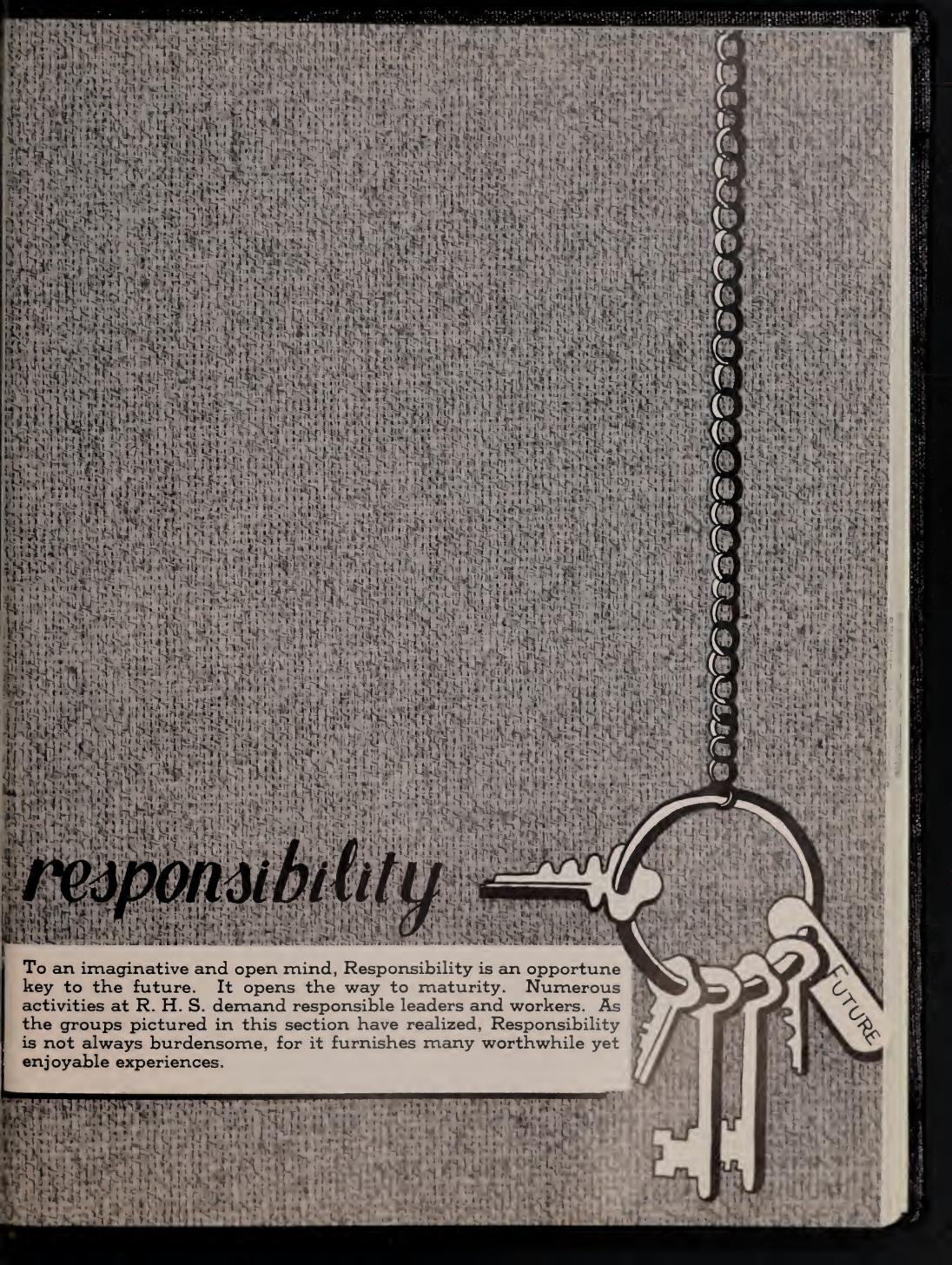
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Members of the National Honor Society must maintain a high scholastic average and give evidence of character, leadership, and service to the school . . . Each year the N.H.S. and the Student Council raise money to present a scholarship to a member of one of the two organizations . . . The several scholarship awards available to R.H.S. Seniors annually are tangible evidence of the benefits of persevering effort.





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PIONEER BOARD

Seated: Linda Long, Karen Metcalf, Jane de Brigard, Nancy Stewart. Standing: Irene Turilli, Leigh Bangs, Gretchen Vedder, Richard Gallant, Lois Bartosch.

Our Pioneer, a work of art, began materializing back in September under the guidance of Miss Shay, Miss Roy, and Mr. Hanlon. . . . The important student element of our yearbook, The Pioneer Board, headed by Co-Editors Jane de Brigard and Karen Metcalf, ambitiously undertook the difficult job of management. . . . The Profile Staff, directed by Co-Editors Leigh Bangs and Linda Long, and haunted by "only thirty-five words," produced the Senior writeups to appear under individual portraits in the final section of the book. . . .



PROFILE STAFF

Front Row: Barbara Richardson, Donald MacPherson, Marcia Johnson, Marilyn Beck, Leigh Bangs, Linda Long, Eleanor Anderson, Herbert Scheiner, Joan Sweatt. Second Row: Sally Fitzpatrick, Mary Jane Crock, Marguerite Frasco, Jane Decatur, Coralie Abell, Eleanor Jarvis, Lois Bartosch, Phyllis McKie, Anne Colburn, Maureen O'Brien. Top Row: Norma Harris, Joanne Oldenbrook, Ruth Campbell, Barbara Snow, Michael Donnelly, Nancy Henry, William Crawford, Marilyn Brown, Joan McManus, Judith Jellison.

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HOMEROOM COLLECTORS

Seated: Marion Ruderman, Jane Decatur, Janice Boutwell, Marcia Johnson, Agnes Myhre, Rita Tower, Katherine Kramer. Standing: Anne Tomlinson, Nancy Fitzpatrick, Nancy Burpee, Frank Kean, Janice Murphy, Gail Wyman.

Homeroom Collectors for several months faithfully collected our subscriptions. . .Bright young workers of the Art Staff, with Jane deBrigard and Assistant Editor, Richard Gallant, pooled ideas and sketches for the layout of the book. . .The new year hailed long hours of work by the Editorial Staff, drawn from the Profile Staff. . .The copy for five sections of our Pioneer developed under Jane Decatur, in charge of Perseverance; Marcia Johnson, Responsibility; Anne Colburn, Sociability; Nancy Stewart, Confidence; and Sally Fitzpatrick, Cooperation. . .



ART STAFF

Seated: Rita Bazso, Marilyn Rogers, Jane deBrigard, Richard Gallant, Nancy Hall. Standing: Evelyn Burhoe, Joan Butler, Irene Carleton, Michael Donnelly, Robert Dodge, Richard Coombs, Janice Olson.



TYPING STAFF
Seated: Blanche Gosselin, Lois Bartosch, Marilyn Beck.
Standing: Beverly Snyder, Mary Lou Bennett, Virginia White.



Merelyn Daniels, Junior Editor; Patricia Latham, Sophomore Editor.

An ambitious Business Staff, headed by Advertising Manager, Gretchen Vedder, and Circulation Manager, Irene Turilli, started canvassing the town in the fall for advertisements to finance our venture. . .and Vantine's Studio in Boston welcomed the many Seniors of R. H. S. . . .An accumulation of material kept the Typing Staff, led by Lois Bartosch, well occupied preparing the final copy for the printer. . .Sophomore and Junior Editors, Patricia Latham and Merelyn Daniels, aided by Barry Hubbard, Janet Baker, and Karen Mich prepared identifications and their class histories. .



BUSINESS STAFF

Seated: Richard Stosez, Gretchen Vedder, Lawrence Skinner. Standing: Alexis MacKay, Billie Porter, Sandra O'Dowd, Dorothy Kennedy, Geraldine Johnson, Carol Joyce, Beverly Snyder.

class of 1956



Carol Gerrior, Secretary; Joseph Haley, Treasurer.



Conrad Ferrara, Vice-President; John Turner, President.

Listen my classmates and you shall hear of the gay events in our Sophomore year. . .We're here at last. . .September 8, 1953. . .we're finally full-fledged Sophomores. . .greeting old faces and meeting some new. . .we settle down to follow the Seniors' good example. . . .Starting off on the right track, we elect our class officers. . .



First Row: Janet Harlow, Jane Strout, Beverly Jones, Nancy Fitzpatrick, Janet Carlson, Sandra Call, Susan Whitney, Gail Jerauld, Geraldine Webb. Second Row: Viola Brennan, Sylvia Ferguson, Ann Moberger, Patricia Latham, Patricia McKenney, Brenda Croswell, Nancy Harris, Susan Colby. Third Row: Patricia Kimball, Mary Jane Harrington, Sally Brown, Nancy McHardy, Darlena Bugbee, Marjorie Brown, Karen Mich, Deborah Milton.



First Row: Elizabeth Smith, Janet Wright, Barbara Maker, Jane Magison, Mary Donegan, Josephine Grant, Barbara Muise, Molly Johnson, Jacqueline Elliott, Dorothy Venuti. Second Row: Barbara Quinton, Mary Rae Kellett, Linda Anderson, Diana de Masellis, Gail Porter, Joan Oliver, Nancy Taylor, Joyce Berry, Marjorie Reebenacker, Sally Towle. Third Row: Elizabeth Sullivan, Patricia Cavanaugh, Marguerite Matthews, Dorothy Reebenacker, Janis Butler, Mary Newhouse, Barbara Sampson, Lorraine Jewett, Elizabeth Cail, Marie Zanni.

President, John Turner; Vice-President, Conrad Ferrara; Secretary, Carol Gerrior; Treasurer, Joseph Haley. . . the officers lead the class in accepting new responsibilities. . . . With a Christmas background we plan our Sophomore Hop. . . beautiful gals. . . sharp guys. . . sweet music. . . a good time. . . . A new experience. . . midyears



First Row: John Russo, Ronald Silva, Mark Whelton, Newton Spurr, David Skinner, John Tomlinson, Robert MacKenzie, Leonard Redfern, Er Chang Ping, Richard Ogden. Second Row: David Mahar, Donald Woodland, Robert Surette, John Macklin, Roger Livingstone, Ernest McLean, John Pineau, Walter Mullen, Joseph McKeague, Richard Peterson. Third Row: David Tucker, David Lyons, James Selfridge, Lowell Spicer, Kenneth Woodside, Edgar March, Robert Tolonen, Leonard Leary, William McMahon, Curtis Parker, Donald McGillicuddy.

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. . . a little study by some. . . overcramming by others. . . eventually, we all survive. . . . Cheering R. H. S. on in football and basketball games. . . a favorite pastime with all Sophomores. . . . Each day brings a new acceptance of responsibilities. . . . Once again the midnight oil burns. . . this time, finals. . . . As spring comes to a close. . .



First Row: Robert Condon, Peter Doherty, William Climo, Robert Doucette, John Bickell, Leonard Davis, Paul Cotreau, Ralph Flodin, Paul Doucette, John Face. Second Row: Charles Clattenburg, John Howard, John Hicks, John Behen, Robert Isaacs, Richard Hatfield, Joseph DiBona, Arnold Keane, Paul Barton, Philip Barrett, Daniel Jones. Third Row: George Dicey, Willard Buddenhagen, Robert Kennedy, William Dalton, Chandler Eaton, Donald Ellingwood, Joshua Day, William Carter, David Graupner, Richard Hodges.



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our first year in high school ends. . .Realizing how much we have gained during the past months, we regretfully complete our Sophomore year. . . .After a little vacation, we'll be back together. . .but not here. . .a new R. H. S. will greet us in September.



First Row: Thomas Briggs, Richard Fornauf, Gerald Boudreau, Joseph Haley. Second Row: Donald Hill, Albert Griggs, John Burhoe, Martin Dickman, Robert David, Robert Currier, John Carter, Robert Cooke. Third Row: Frank Hicks, Conrad Ferrara, Frank Kean, James Donegan, Alfred Campbell, Richard Curtis, Fred Christensen, Clifford Banning, William Hosker, William Keefe. Fourth Row: Anerio Cincotta, Patrick Banfield, Richard Hall, Paul Frongillo, Douglas Burhoe, John Erickson, Richard Bartlett, Robert Gudger.

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class of 1955



Ann O'Brien, Treasurer; Merelyn Daniels, Secretary.



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Thomas Halpin, President; Duncan Moodie, Vice-President.

Well, here we are again . . .but this time fully underway for that big year ahead. . .a well-known member of our hard-working faculty once said, "Juniors are like the filling in a sandwich". . .it takes a good filling to make a good sandwich. . . are we successful? . . well, here are the facts. . .Our year opens with wholesome



First Row: Peter Orth, Jon Read, Norman Forsberg, Donald MacDermod, William MacDermod, Roy Doucette, William Zanni, Paul Proctor, Joseph Gallagher, Richard Rogers. Second Row: Donald Sherrod, Robert Thoms, John Marden, Jon Richardson, Lawrence Duffy, Leonard Anderson, Herbert Ferren, Arnold Starr, William Woglom, Charles Smith. Third Row: Barry Hubbard, Duncan Moodie, David Barrett, Kenneth Jones, Victor Oliver, Edgar Cook, John Miller, Dale LaBelle, Alvin Opland.



First Row: June Cooke, Margaret Russo, Elizabeth DeMar, Barbara Hoyt, Frances McCabe, Shirley Henderson, Diane Robbins, Anne Chaput, Dora Muise, Yvonne Muise, June Redmond, Marjorie Nugent, Mary Ann Ventimiglia. Second Row: Arlene Weare, Marilyn Sampson, Beverly Boivin, Priscilla Harrison, Dorothy Glover, Judith Partelow, Merelyn Daniels, Ann Tomlinson, Marjorie McIntire, Sandra Taylor, Carol Walker, Marion Towle, Maureen Skinner, Glenda Ceaser. Third Row: Ann Cullinane, Annie Gaffney, Patricia Arnold, Judith Westover, Nancy Goodwin, Nancy Jones, Helen Taylor, Jean Doucette, Carolyn Blanchard, Joyce Curhan, Doris Miller, Marion Ruderman, Sally Grant, Lorraine Crovo, Geraldine Crowe.

spirit. . .the first project. . .electing officers. . .President, Tom Halpin; Vice-President, Duncan Moodie; Secretary, Merelyn Daniels; Treasurer, Ann O'Brien. . .Juniors also provide fine representation and leadership in our Student Council. . . .Our big discovery?. . .the years of bluffing are over. . .the boom has been lowered. . .marks



First Row: Richard Spinney, Carl Amero, John Climo, Robert Jenney, Richard Bell, Russell Runge, Thomas Murray, Arthur Hathaway, Thomas Halpin, Edouard Lassieur. Second Row: Arthur Brown, John Twinam, Joseph Talbot, Douglass Beeman, Barry Butler, Bruce Wheeler, Peter Vincent, William Doherty, Milton Robinson, Joseph Doherty, Raynor Gagnon. Third Row: John Smith, James Surette, David Abbott, Don Mason, Maurice Titcomb, William Spinney, Charles Vars, Roy Trulson, Gerald Tower, Richard Poehler, David Wendell, David Mathews.



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First Row: Dorothy Jenney, Carol Peterson, Mary Hardy, Isabelle Eisenhaure, Carol Sanford, Linda McKenney, Dolores Devaney, Priscilla Leslie, Joan Magliozzi, Ann O'Brien. Second Row: Lois Doiron, Dolores Surette, Joan Leonard, Paula Raymond, Katherine Kramer, Patricia Marshall, Barbara Conti, Barbara DeMar, Gail Desmond. Third Row: Dorothy Cook, Marlene Beaman, Charlotte Cryts, Anita Mulhinch, Janet Kay, Ann Howes, Judith Stone, Patricia Carter.

decline. . .and, suddenly the meaning of hard work dawns. . .the perception of what it means to be on our own. . .yes, it has been a year of steady grind, which, in truth, we needed. . . .Social activities lend pleasant relief. . .our Junior Prom, the gala event. . .work and planning bring rewards of fun and success. . .our next highlighted



First Row: Russell Daley, Douglas Gordon, William Morrison, Fred Miller, Robert Foster, Daniel Saunders, Roger Sullivan, David Surette, Albert Lowe, Harry Parshley. Second Row: William Skinner, Paul Turner, James Dunn, Fred Larson, Paul Barrett, Leland Martin, Robert Smith, Ronald Ellis, Charles Cryts. Third Row: Jack Runge, Robert Brown, Edward Stanton, Gerald White, Ronald Roberts, Eldon Sidebotham, Paul Henderson, Barry Cook, Jon Vedder, Thomas Thompkins.



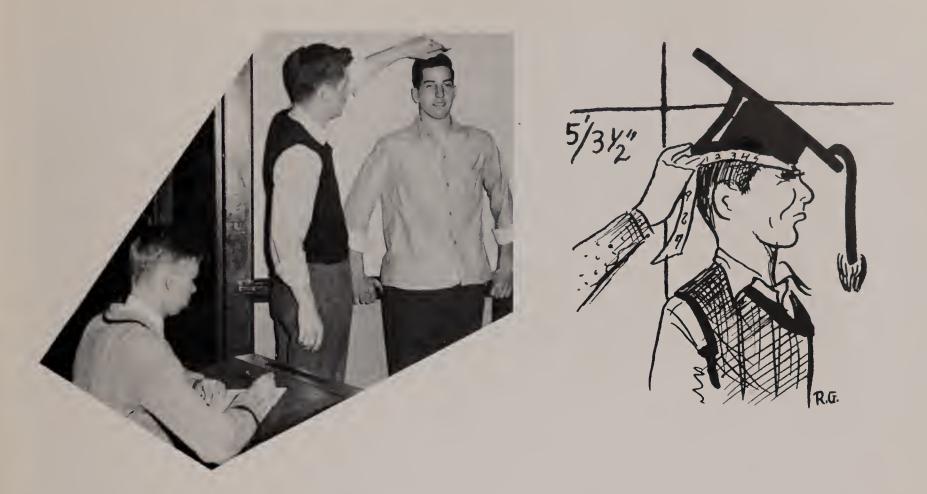
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event, the Junior-Senior Reception. . .a final salute to our Senior friends. . .Sports. . . with a bright, capitalized S. . .enjoyable extracurricular activities. . .books — the total sum. . .Have we been successful? . . .we hate to boast, but now after two happy years spent at the "old" R. H. S., we are looking forward. . .with fingers crossed. . . to being equally successful Seniors at a brand new R. H. S.



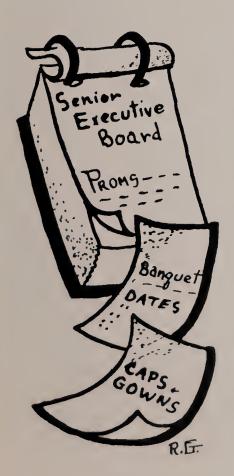


Juniors always enjoy supporting a worthwhile project.



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The second semester brought increased activity for the Senior Executive Board, which consists of class officers and representatives from each homeroom on the well-trodden third floor of R. H. S. . . . Working with Miss Nichols, our class adviser, they laid plans for the rapidly approaching commencement activities. . . Senior Prom, Class Day, Senior Picnic, Baccalaureate, and Graduation Day itself. . . Among the first committees selected was the Cap and Gown Committee. . . Just being measured for caps and gowns made Graduation Day seem unbelievably close. . .





SENIOR EXECUTIVE BOARD

First Row: Linda Long, William Cutcliffe, Marilyn Brown. Second Row: Jane Decatur, Gerald Surette, Gretchen Vedder, Barbara Aylward, Edwin Healy, Dorothy Kennedy. Top Row: Roger O'Shea, Robert Almeida, Michael Donnelly.



TRAFFIC SQUAD

Front: Leigh Bangs, Michael Donnelly, Bernard Barron, Hugh Ross, William Gallagher, Gerald Surette. Back: Donald Dolben, James Blake, Herbert Scheiner, Melvin Jones, William Cutcliffe.



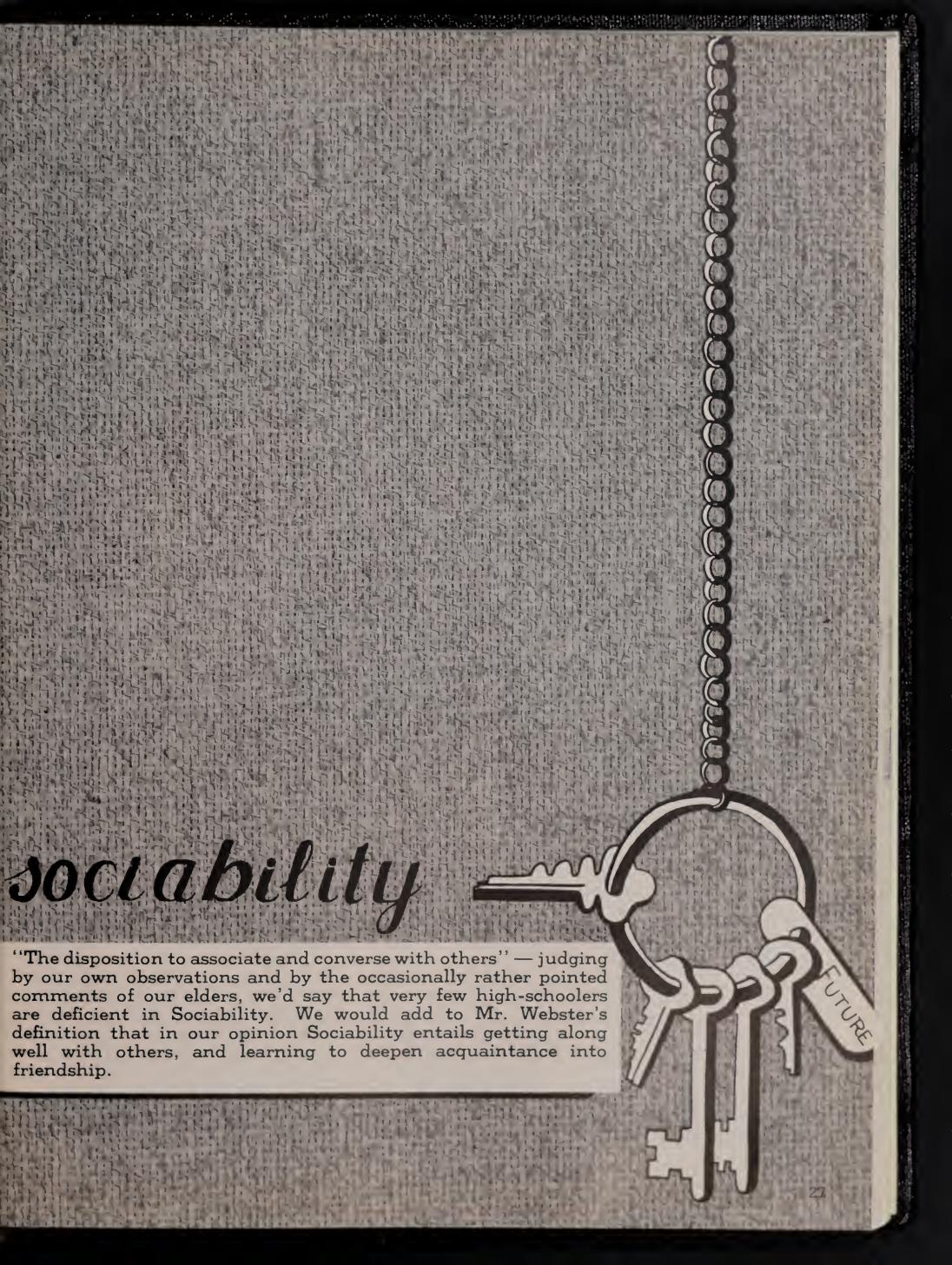
Mrs. Tilton and Miss Underhill

Throughout the year members of the Traffic Squad ruled the jaywalkers of our corridors with an iron hand. . while the office staff, Mrs. Tilton and Miss Underhill, untiringly and pleasantly carried out their duties under our headmaster, Mr. Sussmann. . . The Student Council, representatives of the student body of R. H. S., with President Richard Spinney and Secretary Merelyn Daniels, capably directed numerous school activities. . . And all the year round, Responsibility, shared by all the individuals on these pages, was a vital factor at R. H. S.



STUDENT COUNCIL

First Row: Thomas Halpin, Nancy Fitzpatrick, William Cutcliffe, Merelyn Daniels, George Peach, Janet Carlson, John Turner. Second Row: Jeanne Merrill, Susan Warford, Ann O'Brien, Karen Metcalf, Jane deBrigard, Lois Bartosch, Gail Strasnick, Er Chang Ping, Duncan Moodie, Melvin Jones, Robert E. Ellis, Daniel Matthews, Jack Frost, Herbert Scheiner, Frank Kean.









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The traditional highlight of the evening came when Bill Cutcliffe, our football captain, pinned corsages on the Football Queen, Goodie Flater, and her attendant, Billie Porter. . .a worthy custom inaugurated by the class of '52. . When the cruise ended, everyone, especially those hardworking cheerleaders, had thoroughly enjoyed the many hours of dancing to Doug Morley's Orchestra. . .but, oh, Gretchen's poor feet!







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Sports events always help to foster a sociable spirit. The football season finds R. H. S. graduates and undergraduates alike rooting the Rockets on to victory. and renewing old friendships as well as satisfying healthy appetites between halves at the Boosters Club Canteen. Annually, sports enthusiasts from the whole community gather at the Football Banquet to talk over the highlights of the season just past and to applaud the achievements of the players. . .









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Lunch time is one of the highlights of the day. . .It is in the cafeteria that we discuss the morning news between mouthfuls of the delicious food that Mrs. Mullen and Mrs. Johnson cheerfully prepare. . .or catch up on the latest prospects for a successful baseball season from the coach . . .Warm weather leads groups out of doors to continue the exchange of vital pieces of news. . .but winter usually means staying inside for a fast game of volleyball.











Among the most familiar sights at R. H. S. are Mrs. Miller and Mr. Broussard—always on the job doing their best to keep everything tidy within our old and hallowed walls. . . Lockers serve as more than repositories for books and coats . . . they are centers of news and many a spontaneous plan for a good time. . . The Big Parade. . . as we pass between classes. . . occurs eight times daily. . . a friendly breather before the next big dose of learning. . .









sophomore hop

The Sophomore Hop, an annual event held during the first semester, gives the newest class an opportunity to get together for a gala evening. . .The Class of 1956 made their dance a decided social success. . .Holiday decorations, delicious refreshments, and wonderful music gave everyone the Christmas spirit. . .To thank Miss Chiesa, class adviser, for all her cooperation, the class presented her with a corsage. . .







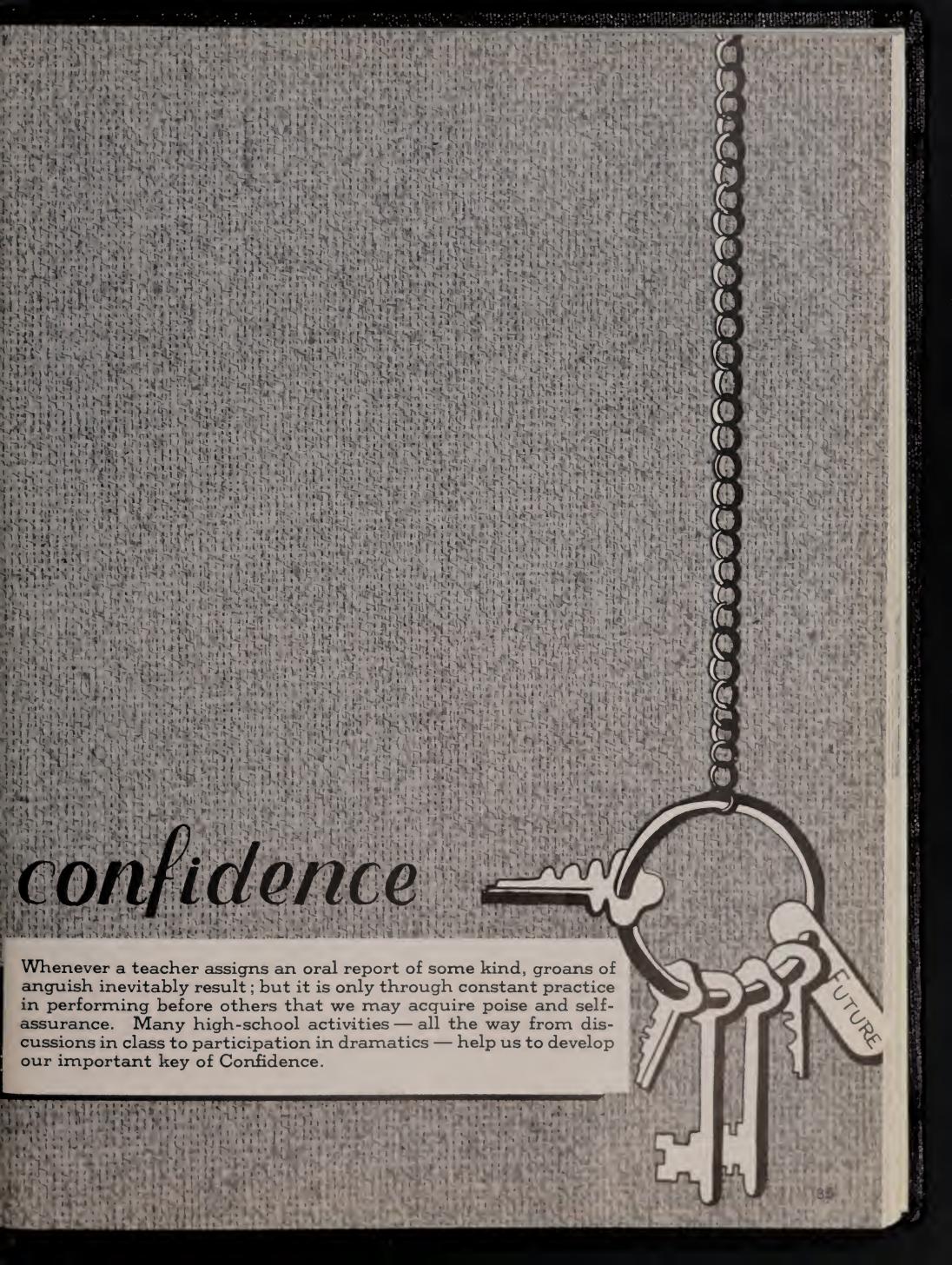
LITTLE ORCHESTRA Martha Mathews, Robert Smith, Robert Noseworthy, Edgar Cook, Mr. Wegiel, Robert Almeida, William Geary,

Often in the afternoon we hear the earnest efforts of the group called the "Little Orchestra" as melodious sounds are wafted from the Music Room. . . The audience at the Senior Play was among the first to enjoy the results of this frequent practice when the orchestra played several selections between the acts. . . This congenial little group of musicians affords a good example of the spirit of sociability.



Richard Hodges, John O'Donnell.







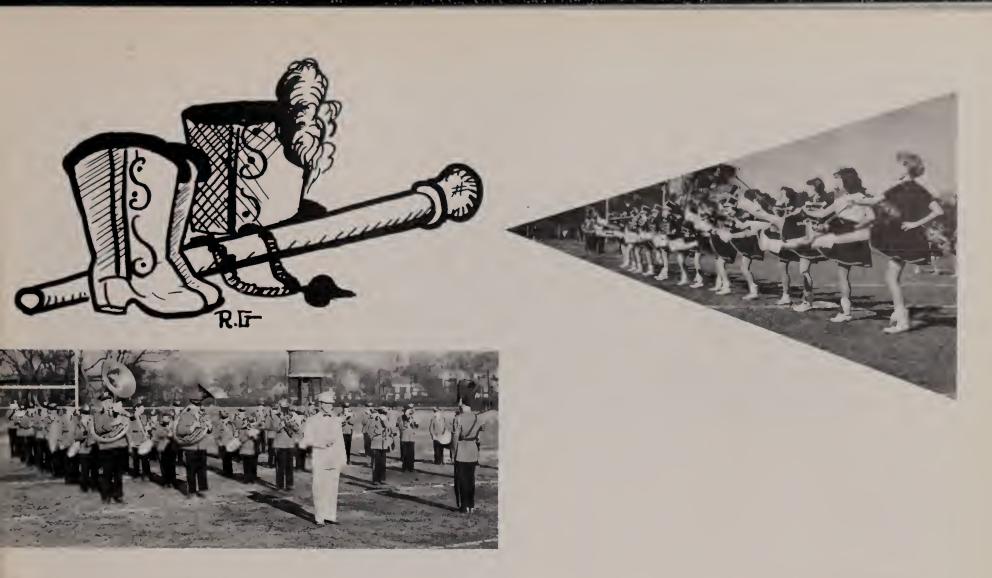
Ann O'Brien, Sally Leighton, Gretchen Vedder, Marcia Johnson, Carol Stevenson, Jean Corindia, Elizabeth Bellows, Geraldine Johnson, Charlotte Cryts, Nancy Hall.

"You got it? Well, let's go!" Sore throats and hoarse voices were a common occurrence during most of the football season . . . Our ten peppy cheerleaders led the crowds at the football and basketball games in colorful, intricate, and new cheers . . . This year the girls worked very hard to buy their new navy blue and red uniforms . . . The group held many rallies both in and out of school to show the teams that the school was right behind them with the winning spirit. . .









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Not all the interest at football games is provided by the teams . . . our colorful Baton Squad entertained the spectators at half-time by forming many intricate figures in conjunction with the Band . . . win or lose, the Reading Band, composed of both junior and senior high students, enthusiastically played our victory songs, having worked hard at rehearsals for many weeks . . . In February, ten of our outstanding twirlers entered the competition at Norwood. . .



BATON SQUAD

First Row: Joanne Oldenbrook, leader; Patricia Mullen, Lois Doiron, Diane Robbins, Priscilla Harrison, Helen Youd, Carol Ann Leslie, Sally Fitzpatrick, Maureen O'Brien, Barbara MacLeod, Mary Jane Crock. Second Row: Dolores Surette Barbara Conti, Jean Smith, Beverly Rankin, Lois Bartosch, Virginia White, Marguerite Frasco, Christine Moberger, Coralie Abell Third Row: Carol Peterson, Ruth Campbell, Jacqueline Elliott, Janice Boutwell, Norma MacGrath, Nancy Ann Henry, Muriel Davis, Florence Russell, Susan Whitney, Janet Poore, Mary Greene, Judith Jellison, Patricia Keane.

senior play



PLAY READING COMMITTEE

Paul Carlson, Jane Decatur, Leigh Bangs, James Blake, Ann Christensen, Phyllis McKie, Jack Frost, Rita Bazso, William Crawford, Jane Madden.

After studying many plays, the Senior Play Reading Committee decided upon a comedy entitled "Spring Fever" . . . All action and interest centered around Mrs. Spangler's boarding house on a college campus . . . The play revealed the problems of her student boarders, majors in zoology, chemistry, art, and journalism . . . A college supporter tied to a hat rack, a fake doctor, a pretended illness, a flunking student and his aunt added to the plot . . . The play contained many surprises for the audience, including several effectively created explosions. . .



spring fever



CAST OF CHARACTERS

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Howard BrantW	illiam Crawford
Ed Burns	Jack Frost
Vic Lewis	Kenneth McKie
Lou Herron	Jane deBrigard
Mrs. Spangler	Jane Decatur
Anne Purcell	.Judith Jellison
Vivian George	Ruth Campbell
Henry Purcell	Paul Carlson
Phoebe Purcell	Marcia Johnson
Maude Corey	Irene Carleton
Professor Virgil Bean	Leigh Bangs
Dr. Dixon	. Roger O'Shea

Under the direction of Mr. Arthur L. Spencer and Student Director Marilyn Brown, the hidden talent of twelve Seniors was brought into full bloom . . . Meanwhile, the busy Property Committee searched many homes in a fruitful quest for the proper furniture . . . At the performance, willing stage hands changed scenery and produced the necessary sound effects . . . The indispensable Costume Committee was on hand to assist the cast with clothes and changes . . . and the makeup artists did a wonderful job for both performances. . .



TECHNICAL CREW
Richard Stosez, Bruce Batting, James Blake.



TICKET SELLERS

Marilyn Beck, Patricia Evans, Barbara Gerrior.



CANDY GIRLS

Dorothy Kennedy, Marguerite Frasco, Joan Silva, Marilyn Rogers, Barbara Richardson, Barbara Snow, Sally Leighton, Sally Fitzpatrick.

The girls in charge of tickets, under the direction of Miss Nichols, were highly successful both in selling the tickets and in keeping the money straight . . . The proceeds went into the fund which the Senior Class has been building since its sophomore year . . . This fund helps to pay for the senior activities, such as the Senior Banquet and the events connected with graduation, as well as our class gift . . . As the big night arrived, beautifully gowned girls were on hand with the programs. . .



PROGRAM GIRLS

Joan McManus, Glenna Creamer, Natalie Zanni,
Barbara Aylward, Janet Iverson, Joy Aiesi.



USHERS
Wendell McIntire, Edwin Healy, Bernard Barron, William Cutcliffe, Gerald Surette Donald Dolben, George Peach, Edward Webb.



TICKET SELLERS

Marilyn J. Brown, Mary Lou Bennett, Virginia White.

CANDY GIRLS

Lois Bartosch, Joanne Oldenbrook, Anne Surette, Geraldine Johnson, Beverly Brown, Elizabeth Bellows, Phyllis McKie, Mary Jane Crock.

The candy girls appreciated the help which Miss Zimmermann and Miss Batchelder gave them with their candy between the acts . . . Each girl made the gaily decorated box which she carried . . . Because of the large number of Seniors who volunteered to participate in the activities connected with the play, a different group of candy girls, program girls, ticket sellers, and ushers assisted each night . . . The ushers were kept extremely busy, as "Spring Fever" in November attracted many people. . .



Hugh Ross, Donald Upton.

USHERS
Arthur Fraumeni, Michael Donnelly, Melvin Jones, William Cutcliffe, Donald Dolben,

PROGRAM GIRLS

Beverly Snyder, Ann Christensen, Mary Greene, Janice Richardson, Janice Boutwell, Mary Cail.



Confidence was not very evident among the actors as curtain time approached. . .Weak knees, fluttering hearts, makeup, and a short amount of time was all the cast could claim about an hour before the curtain went up. . .As Jane's makeup was applied, everyone wondered how Ruthie, engrossed in her magazine, could appear so calm. . .Last-minute adjustments showed that time was getting short. . .When the curtain had risen and the play was started, our actors and actresses found their confidence and no prompting was needed. . .









CHRISTMAS READING GROUP

First Row: Dale LaBelle, Nancy Taylor, Jane Decatur, Judith Jellison, Gail Wyman, Merelyn Daniels, Thomas Halpin, Gail Morin. Second Row: Jack Frost, Nancy Morse, Paul Carlson, Karen Mich, Janet Carlson, Jane de Brigard, Gail McCarthy, Helen Taylor, Richard Stosez, Janet Baker, Nancy Henry.

The beautiful broadcast which we heard just before we left school for the Christmas vacation was presented by some of the members of the Dramatic Club in cooperation with a number of our musically talented schoolmates. . .The inspiring Christmas readings and carols made a deep impression on all of us. . .Again this year the Dramatic Club entered the Massachusetts Drama Festival, presenting "Five for Bad Luck". . .Undergraduate members of the club are looking forward to being Festival hosts in 1955. . .



DRAMATIC CLUB

First Row: Gail Wyman, Merelyn Daniels, Linda McKenney, Sandra Taylor, Gail Strasnick, Judith Partelow, Janet Carlson. Second Row: Marilyn Brown, Richard Stosez, Marcia Johnson, Leigh Bangs, Nancy Henry, Paul Carlson, Irene Carleton, William Crawford, Ruth Campbell. Third Row: Mr. A. L. Spencer, Lois Doiron, Carolyn McKeague, Phyllis McKie, Judith Jellison, Nancy Stewart, Jack Frost, Linda Long, Jane de Brigard, Jane Decatur, Anne Colburn, Maureen O'Brien. Fourth Row: Darlena Bugbee, Helen Taylor, Nancy Taylor, Dale La Belle, Nancy Morse, Thomas Halpin, Karen Mich, Richard Curtis, Gail Morin, Gail McCarthy, Mary Hardy.



CAMERA CLUB

John Pineau, Mark Whelton, Richard Stosez, James Donegan, John Carter, George Perry, Albert Griggs, James Donnelly, Shirley Hall, Jack Frost, William Lovering, Robert Surette.



The Camera Club has been busy this year, taking and developing many pictures of R.H.S. activities. . .Those boys seen around school burdened by a projector and screen belong to the Projection Crew. . .They aid the teachers in setting up the equipment for films or slides and run the movies at some of the guidance meetings. . .Both groups are under the direction of Mr. Bronner. . . The large number of sophomore photography enthusiasts gives the Camera Club a promising outlook for next year.



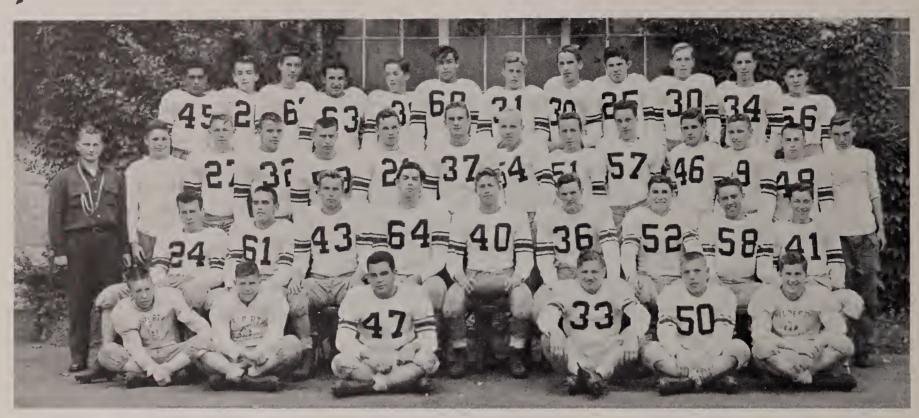


PROJECTION CREW

Robert Surette, Jack Frost, George Perry, Mr. Bronner, Richard Stosez, James Donnelly.



football



Front: Charles Clattenburg, William McMahon, Kenneth Latham, Robert Doucette, Milton Robinson, Robert Zanni. First Row: Robert E. Ellis, Bernard Barron, Robert D. Ellis, Clyde Johnson, Captain William Cutcliffe, William Talbot, Donald Dolben, Edwin Healy, John Fleming. Second Row: John Miller, Richard Hatfield, Richard Poehler, Barry Cook, Thomas Murray, Jack Runge, Thomas Tompkins, Edward Stanton, Ronald Ellis, Jon Vedder, Barry Butler, Joseph Talbot, Joseph Doherty, Robert O'Brien. Last Row: Nicholas Stokes, Joseph Walsh, John Burhoe, Anerio Cincotta, John Turner, Robert David, Richard Murdock, Richard Neilssien, Daniel Jones, Ted Surdam, Warren Surette, John Howard.



The late Dr. Charles R. Wakeling served our football teams faithfully throughout good and bad seasons with unselfish devotion.



Coaches Roewer, Crowley, and Archambault



Reading High's football season got off to a shaky start as the Rockets lost to a more experienced team from Wellesley. . After another defeat, this one by Swampscott, the team, led by Bill Cutcliffe, got under way by defeating Danvers. . As the season progressed, the Rockets lost to Woburn, but came back to defeat Methuen. . In the game with Winchester, always a high point in the season, R. H. S. was overcome by a heavier and stronger team. . .





Reading	6
Wellesley	19
Reading	0
Swampscott	13
Reading	19
Danvers	0
Reading	0
Woburn	20

Weather forced cancellation of the game with Norwood, but the following week the boys defeated Lexington. . The traditional game on Thanksgiving Day was looked forward to by all. . Although the Rockets met stiff competition they surpassed all expectations by defeating our arch rival, Stoneham. . At the annual Boosters' Banquet, given at the close of the season for all who participated in football activities, Ed Stanton was named captain for 1954.

Reading	21
Methuen	0
Reading	6
Winchester	39
Reading	13
vs. Lexington	6
Reading	7
Stoneham	0







PROGRAM GIRLS
Front: Linda Long, Karen Metcalf, Evelyn Burhoe, Marilyn Brown,
Carol Sanford, Sandra O'Dowd. Back: Barbara Toothaker, Eleanor
Anderson, Irene Carleton, Nancy Stewart.

Through the persuasive salesmanship of the Program Girls and Ticket Sellers our football season was financially successful. . At every home game the girls were on the job contributing their share to the spirit and color of the afternoon's activities. . Profits from tickets and programs are turned over to our Athletic Fund. . This fund enables our sports teams to have more and better equipment than many of our opponents.



TICKET SELLERS

Front: Luane Pierce, Irene Turilli, Joan Butler, Rita Tower. Back: Janet Kay, Anne Surette, Katherine Kramer, June Neunzer, Clara Pitman, Alice Amirault.



basketball



BASKETBALL SQUAD

Front Row: Russell Runge, Ronald Ellis, William Talbot, Robert E. Ellis, Daniel Matthews, William Doherty, Joseph Talbot, Donald McGillicuddy. Second Row: Everett King, Warren Surette, Edouard Lassieur, William Dalton, John Burhoe, John Erickson, Conrad Ferrara, Peter Doherty, Coach Hawkes. Third Row: Joseph Doherty, Nicholas Stokes, James Sellers, Richard Hodges, Paul Cotreau, Robert Kennedy, Fred Miller.

Boys' basketball, our active winter sport . . . Game lads from each class of R. H. S. turned out for the many months of practice and actual playing under Coach Hawkes. . . At first, techniques and skill were developed and perfected during practice games at the Parker Junior High School. . . . Our R. H. S. stars really began showing their stuff on the court . . . Then came the session of games with the Alumni and other schools prior to our regular league games . . . The season had officially begun. . .



BASKETBALL

Reading63	Wellesley50
Reading53	Everett65
Reading 51	Arlington
Reading55	Watertown75
Reading	Alumni
Reading50	Lexington60
Reading32	Winchester36
Reading48	Stoneham47
Reading40	Belmont44
Reading74	Wakefield69



The boys enthusiastically tackled each opposing team of the Middlesex League . . . Spectators really enjoyed watching our boys, led by Co-Captains, Bob and Danny . . . Number 21 marks one of our rising Sophomore stars, Don ''McGill'' . . . Right there, mixed in with all the excitement, were our R. H. S. cheerleaders and the unforgettable — sometimes happy and sometimes blue — bus rides with the team. . . We culminated our season by playing Dedham in the Bay State Tournament, with high hopes for next year's team at the new R. H. S.

Reading	59	Concord60
Reading	50	Melrose62
Reading	37	Lexington
Reading	50	Winchester 62
Reading	56	Stoneham69
Reading4	15	Belmont44
Reading	72	Wakefield57
Reading	74	Concord
Reading6	61	Melrose 69
Reading	54	Dedham 57





SOPHOMORE TEAM

First Row: Deborah Milton, Jean Smith, Janice Murphy, Patricia Kimball, Karen Mich, Carol Snyder. Second Row: Marjorie Brown, Nancy Fitzpatrick, Janet Baker, Patricia McKenney, Jeannette Carey, Beverly Jones. Back Row: Patricia Mullen, Patricia Poehler.



SENIOR TEAM

First Row: Mary Jane Crock, Lois D'Entremont, Marilyn Brown, Natalie Zanni, Maureen O'Brien. Second Row: Evelyn Burhoe, Jean Corindia, Barbara Richardson, Muriel Davis, Marcia Johnson, Janice Olson, Barbara Snow.

Here are our girls' basketball teams. . .Hard practice for several weeks readied them for the games ahead. . .Co-ordination and skill were developed, along with a growing attachment to the sport, as the day of the first game rapidly approached. . .Every game brought high expectations and excitement while the combined efforts of the R. H. S. teams rallied hard for victory. . . Though they met unsuccessfully, yet undaunted, superior teams from Lexington, Malden, Melrose, Woburn, and Methuen, the girls place fervent hopes in next year's teams in the new R. H. S. . . .



JUNIOR TEAM

Left to right: Barbara Hoyt, Nancy Burpee, Ann Strout, Carolyn Blanchard, Maureen Skinner, Doris Miller.



The varsity tries a few practice plays.





GOLF TEAM

Front: Robert Taylor, Stuart Richards, Jack Runge, Jon Read.
Back: James Donnelly, Thomas Tompkins, William High.

In the spring of every year various sports at Reading High attract candidates to participate in one of the seasonal activities. . .Customarily the golf and track teams look forward to a successful season. . .The chief aim of the golfers this year is to retain the State Championship won by last year's team. . .Hopes are running high, as well, for a repeat performance of last year's successes in track. . .Through the combined efforts of the coaches and the boys, both goals are very likely to be achieved.



TRACK TEAM

First Row: Donald Dolben, William Cutcliffe, Bernard Barron, Donald MacPherson, Edwin Healy, Michael Donnelly. Second Row: Fred Miller, Douglas Gordon, Coach Crowley, Robert Almeida, Albert Lowe.

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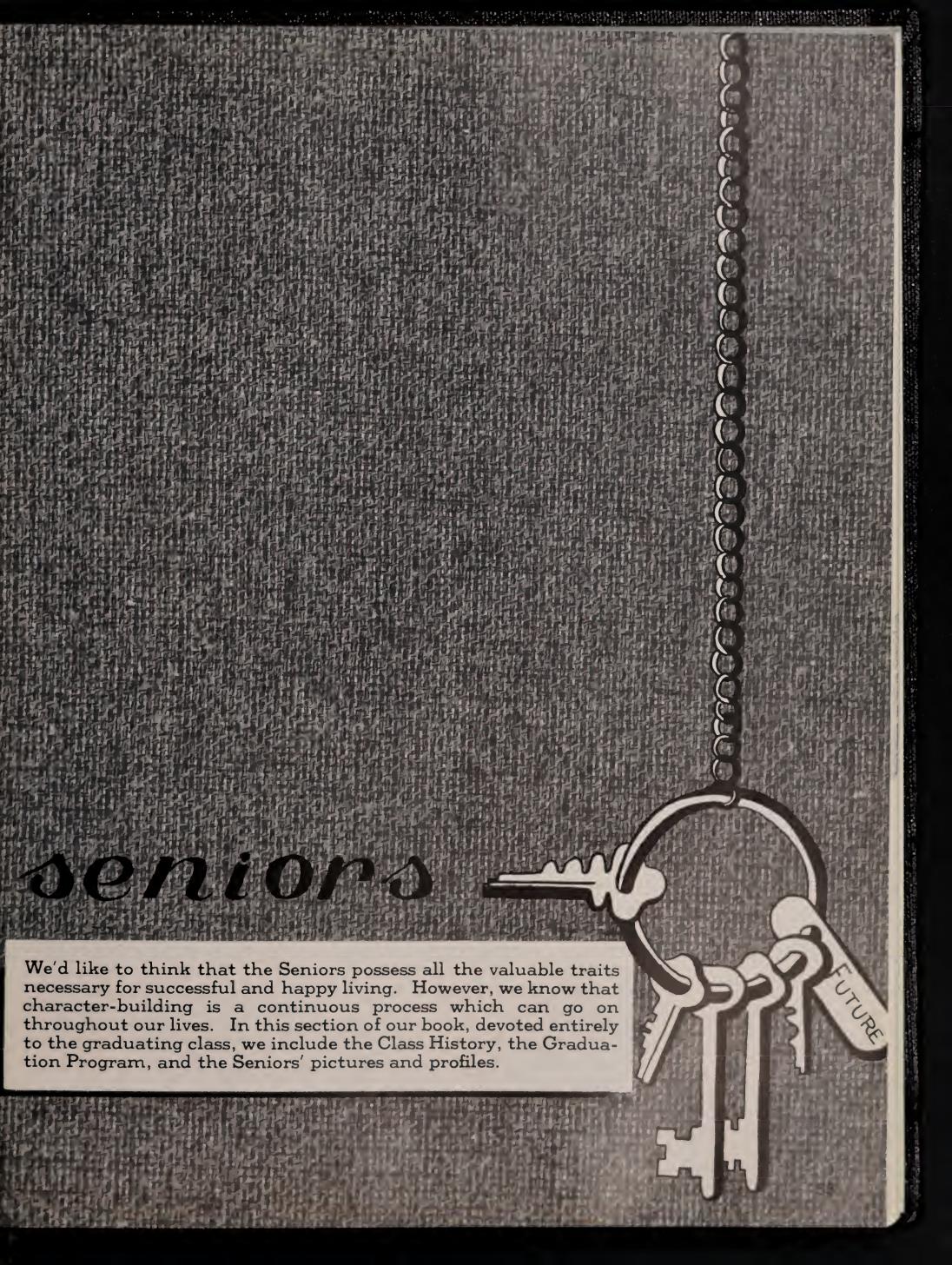
LETTERMEN

Front: Bill Doherty, Bill Talbot, Bob Ellis. Back: Fred Miller, Ronald Ellis, Joseph Talbot Herb Scheiner, Russell Runge.



SQUAD

Front Row: Ronald Ellis, Joe Talbot, Bill Doherty, Herb Scheiner, William Talbot, Capt., Bob Ellis, Russell Runge, Fred Miller, Douglas Beeman. Second Row: Raynor Gagnon, Robert Kennedy, Conrad Ferrara, Richard Bell, David Barrett, Barry Butler, Jon Vedder, Charles Vars, Maurice Titcomb, John Morrison, Peter Doherty, Peter Kean, Pat Doherty, David Pulson, Coach Ed Roewer. Third Row: Newton Spurr, Leonard Redfern, John Macklin, Robert Smith, William Dalton, Donald McGillicuddy, Richard Hodges, David Abbott, John Erikson, Richard Sellars, Richard Murdock, Thomas Parker, Richard Lucas, Er Chang Ping, David Skinner.





As graduation and the time of parting draw near, we of the Class of 1954 are able to reminisce with nostalgia on three well-filled years at Reading High School. As we look back, we see that all the phases of our high school program — social, athletic, student government, and scholastic — have contributed to our future preparedness, on the job, in college, or in the armed forces.

The first chord in our symphony of preparation was struck when, as Sophomores, in 1952, we began to contribute to the life of our school. During this year we were led by the following officers: President, George Peach; Vice-President, Gudrun Flater; Secretary, Marilyn Brown; Treasurer, Linda Long. Mrs. Wadsworth served us as Class Adviser.

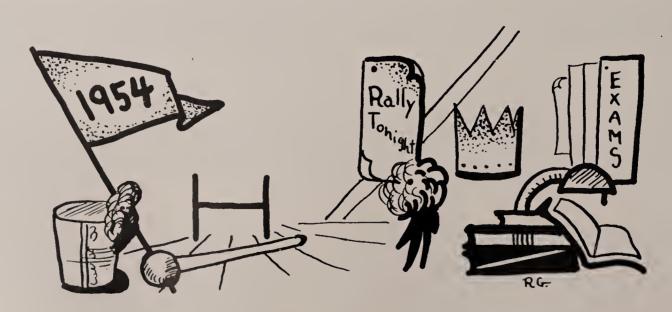
Our first social endeavor was the Sophomore Hop, a dance which set the standards for future class dances. Although our class was well represented on various school teams, our main contribution to athletics lay in providing many avid rooters for the Red-and-Black at every competition. Those chilly afternoons on the football field did much to increase our school spirit, and gave us a sense of belonging.

Scholastically, we managed to hold our own, and after braving the rigors of final exams we passed into the second movement of our score.

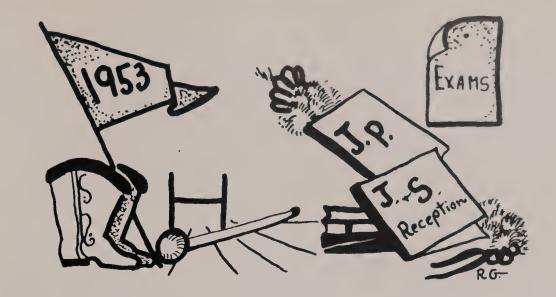
Our junior year was one which is memorable for both the quantity and the quality of class activities. The class officers for this year were President, Herbert Scheiner; Vice-President, Gudrun Flater; Secretary, Marilyn Brown; Treasurer, Linda Long. We were advised by Mrs. Franzen.

Because our graduation was in sight, we were very much occupied with our studies, but not so much so that we could not contribute a great deal to school life. Our Junior Prom was a successful event that continues to stand out in our minds. In the sports area, many of our classmates became members of the varsity teams. These Juniors and those who joined the Dramatics Club, the Pioneer Staff, the Baton Squad, and other school groups, forecasted smooth sailing for our senior year.

June 1953 found us with mixed feelings — relief as we finished final exams; sadness as we bade farewell to the members of the Class of '53 at the Junior-Senior Reception;



history



anticipation as we looked forward to being the first graduating class from the new high school; satisfaction at having attained the highest grade in the high school. As we neared the end of our symphony, the tempo increased, for we were not to be the first seniors in the new high school, but rather the last in the old; and we determined to make our senior year one of the most active the old building had seen. The activity started in the fall, when the RHS football team, captained by Billy Cutcliffe, finished a successful season by defeating Stoneham on Thanksgiving Day. Everybody, it seems, enjoyed cheering for the Rockets and watching the Baton Squad and cheerleaders go through their paces.

At the end of the football season, the ball was passed to those who were concerned with the Senior Play, and "Spring Fever" enjoyed a very successful two-night stand. With midyears approaching, we began to approach the finale scholastically, with college board classes, guidance forms, and plans for the future occupying much of our time. It was also about this time that photographers appeared on the scene—another sign that preparation of The Pioneer was in progress.

Midyears and college board exams having passed, we entered the home stretch. The Senior Executive Board and our senior class officers — William Cutcliffe, President; Gudrun Flater, Vice-President; Marilyn Brown, Secretary; and Linda Long, Treasurer — began to work doubly hard in order to attend to all the details of our last few months at Reading High School. Much energy was devoted to making our Senior Prom the memorable occasion that it was. Baccalaureate, Class Day, and the Senior Banquet passed in rapid succession. Finally, with Graduation Day at hand, we knew that our stay in high school was one of the best periods of our lives.

As the last bar of our symphony is played, we of the Class of 1954 have many affectionate memories of friendships and experiences. We extend our thanks to the faculty, who have devoted themselves to preparing us for our future careers. We know that our gratitude will grow with the years, as we come to a fuller realization of what their devotion has done for us.



graduation 1954

program

Gerald J. Surette

Geraldine A. Johnson



WILLIAM E. CUTCLIFFE 50 Locust St., Reading

Bill . . . our popular Class President . . . football captain . . . valuable member of basketball and track teams . . . MC in DeMolay . . . Junior Rotarian . . . usher at Senior Play . . . active on Traffic Squad and Chorus . . . aiming for success.



GUDRUN FLATER 33 Minot St., Reading

"Goodie," our capable Vice-President for six years . . . member of the Senior Executive Board and Rainbow . . . enjoys bowling, driving, and football games . . . shares memories of unforgettable slumber parties . . . after graduation, assured success in the clerical field.

class officers



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MARILYN BROWN 76 Pearl St., Reading

Marilyn...our good-natured, versatile, dependable Secretary... Student Director of Senior Play, Worthy Advisor of Rainbow...plans to attend Katherine Gibbs... enjoys music and skating...favorite memories, school dances and the Senior Play.



LINDA LONG
41 Longview Rd., Reading

Linda . . . our faithful Class
Treasurer for three years . . .
Student Council, N. H. S., and
Literary Staff kept her active
. . . cannot forget Mr.
Bennett's history class and
Mary Jane . . . after studying
at Forsythe Dental School,
she'll become a dental
hygienist.

CORALIE ABELL
14 Bay State Rd., Reading

This member of the Baton Squad remembers Mr. Bennett's classes . . . Coralie's favorite hobbies are dancing, bowling, and skating . . . ambition, business school for secretarial training . . . her favorite memories are Baton Squad practice and homeroom.



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M. JOY AIESI 126 Haverhill St., Reading

Joy's ambition is to become an airline hostess after attending Mount Ida next year . . . favorite interests include swimming, boating, and basketball . . . lasting memories of R. H. S. will be algebra with Mr. Fitzgerald and Mr. Bennett's homeroom.



ROBERT A. ALMEIDA Main St., N. Reading

Bob...one of the unforgettable singing color guards in the R. H. S. Band... member of the Senior Executive Board, track team, and Orchestra...hopes to become a radio announcer... favorite memory, homeroom with Mr. Pope.



Class

ALICE AMIRAULT 177 Haven St., Reading

"Al," whose greatest desire is to attain the height of five feet five inches, hopes to be a telephone operator . . . capable member of the Ticket Girls . . . likes dancing and basketball . . . enjoyed Consumer Economics and history.



ELEANOR ANDERSON 16 Pennsylvania Ave., Reading

Fun-loving "Andy"... one of our capable Program Girls... enjoys traveling, football, and bowling... names the coaches as her favorite memories of R. H. S... plans for the future are uncertain but marriage is definitely included.



MATTHEW J. ANDREWS 127 Green St., Reading

"Andy" wants to be a jet pilot . . . chief interests are woodworking and fixing up cars . . . his favorite sport is football . . . will always remember homeroom with Mr. Pope . . . is still undecided about plans for the future.



BARBARA AYLWARD
3 Damon St., N. Reading

"Barb," that brunette with those beautiful, big, blue eyes . . . member of Senior Executive Board and J. W. C. . . . hopes to become an airline hostess . . . enjoys dancing, swimming, football games . . . favorite memories, Junior Prom and that wonderful 2:30 bell.



WILLIAM F. BANFIELD 43 Wakefield St., Reading

Bill...enjoys football, money, and just plain hanging around ... claims his best-liked subject was math ... favorite memory of R. H. S. is Mr. Pope's homeroom ... hopes to attend Northeastern next year and become a civil engineer.

of 1954



LEIGH B. BANGS 27 California Rd., Reading

Leigh has been both active and studious . . . member of Pioneer Literary Staff, Traffic Squad, DeMolay . . . a scholarly Professor in the Senior Play . . . Mr. Pope's Physics has brightened his life . . . hopes to take a Jaguar to college.



BERNARD M. BARRON 8 North St., N. Reading

Bernie was a member of the football and track teams . . . loves hot rods and aviation . . . favorite pastime is sleeping . . . hopes to own his own business in the near future . . . enjoyed history classes and homeroom period.



LOIS H. BARTOSCH 57 Cross St., Reading

Smiling Lois, our head typist, plans to attend business school . . . she's a shining example of efficiency, lending her many talents to Baton Squad, Literary Staff, Student Council, J.W.C., and National Honor Society . . . has fond memories of our Junior Prom.



BRUCE BATTING 137 Prospect St., Reading

English with Miss Cox will represent R. H. S. in years to come for Bruce . . . hockey, fishing, and hunting take up his spare moments . . . in school, biology and physics are his favorites . . . hopes to attend U. N. H. next year.





RITA ANN BAZSO 85 Central St., N. Reading

"Skippy"... hopes to marry and live on an Arizona horse ranch with miles and miles of land... is very much interested in commercial art... enjoys sewing, basketball, 4-H, and Mr. Baker... energetic ticket seller.



FREDERIC BEARSE
15 Beverly Rd., Reading

East Coast Aero Tech will number Fred among its students next year . . . his big desire is to be an airline pilot . . . a charming sophomore girl interests him . . . he won't forget chemistry experiments with Mr. Pope.



MARILYN BECK
16 Glenmere Circle, Reading

"Becky"... always lots of fun
... will long remember football games, bowling, and slumber parties ... member of
J. W. C., National Honor Society, Pioneer Literary and
Typing Staffs, and Senior Play
Ticket Committee ... plans to
be a medical secretary.



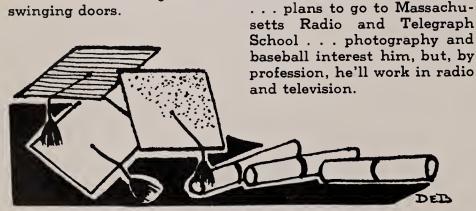
ELIZABETH BELLOWS
2 Warren Ave., Reading

One of our cutest cheerleaders ... next year 'Liz' will attend B. U. . . some day she hopes to own a St. Bernard and call it "Andy" . . . member of J. W. C. and Rainbow . . "Liz" will always remember graduation night, 1953.

MARY LOUISE BENNETT

36 Beacon St., Reading

Mary Lou . . . Miss Drury's capable secretary . . . member of Pioneer Typing Staff, Chorus, J. C. D. A., and Ticket Girls . . . enjoyed dancing, football games, and typing . . . Melrose Nursing School beckons this future nurse . . . Mary Lou will never forget those swinging doors.



Class



BARBARA BLANCHARD 379 Haverhill St., Reading

"Barb" . . . a shy, but very friendly member of our class . . . rates algebra and geometry tops . . . ambition, to become a math teacher or an accountant . . . will never forget English with Mary Jane . . . next year, Salem Teachers College.



JOHN BOUDREAU 212 Pearl St., Reading

Johnny . . . known for his red hair . . . always seen around a car . . . places Shop among his favorite subjects . . . will work next year . . . hopes to be a G. M. C. mechanic in the future and own a "souped-up" Ford.



JANICE BOUTWELL
22 Penfield Circle, Wakefield

Algebra with Mr. Crowley is Jan's favorite subject . . . bowling, swimming, roller-skating, and boys rate tops with her . . . favorite memory, baton practice with Mr. Calvin . . . next year Jan will attend junior college.



JAMES BLAKE

165 Main St., Reading

Jim . . . guiet member of the

Traffic Squad, Camera Club,

and Play Reading Committee

JOAN BREUGELMAN 357 South St., Reading

Attractive Joanie ... known by her ever-present smile and even temper ... well liked by her classmates . . . she eagerly awaited the 2:30 gong ... next year she will brighten someone's office with her pleasant personality.



BEVERLY BROWN 252 Main St., Reading

Attractive, good-natured "Bev" ... rates bowling, swimming and dancing tops ... chose Spanish with Mr. Roewer as her favorite subject ... will long remember lunch periods and those slumber parties ... plans for the future include Katherine Gibbs.



MARILYN J. BROWN 78 Summer Ave., Reading

Never without a smile for anyone . . . popular with all her classmates . . . Marilyn will certainly make a wonderful secretary after her trip around the United States . . . Miss Drury's drilling on debits and credits will never be forgotten

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EVELYN BURHOE 43 Winslow Rd., Reading

"Evie," possessor of a sweet personality and a friendly smile, plans to own a horse ranch . . . reading, basketball, and drawing consume much of her time . . . rates Spanish with Mr. Roewer her favorite memory of R. H. S.



JOAN BUTLER 28 Fairview Ave., Reading

A brown-eyed miss who plans to own a farm in Arizona and to run a kindergarten . . . Rainbow, Ticket Girls, basketball, horseback riding, and Property Committee for Senior Play have occupied much of Joanie's time.



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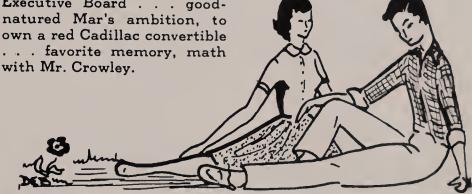
MARY CAIL 84 Summer Ave., Reading

It's "Mar," next year's affable "Number Please" gal . . . traveling and football claim her interest . . . member of Junior Executive Board . . . goodwith Mr. Crowley.



ROBERT CALLAHAN 198 Ash St., Reading

"Buddy" . . . member of National Honor Society . . . football, hockey, and coin-collecting enthusiast . . . Buddy's ambition is to be a success in business . . . will remember certain sophomore girls . . . plans to work after graduation, with Uncle Sam's consent.





RUTH CAMPBELL 175 Forest St., Reading

Energetic baton twirler . . . National Honor Society, attractive personality and tend the University of Massa-J. W. C., Literary Staff, Senior Play occupied most of Ruthie's time . . . favorite subject, chemistry . . . enjoys skating and swimming . . . faithful to 4-H and Rainbow . . . Boston University claims this future dress designer.



IRENE CARLETON 23 Oak Ridge Rd., Reading

ready smile . . . will never forget graduation night in 1953 . . . the University of New Hampshire beckons this R. H. S. ticket girl, member of J. W. C. and the Senior Play



PAUL A. CARLSON 58 Tamarack Rd., Reading

"Rene" . . . possessor of an Tall, blond Paul plans to atchusetts, where he'll major in engineering . . . he's active in DeMolay, the Camera Club, Color Guard, Play Reading Committee and Senior Play Cast . . . fond memory, Mr. Pope's homeroom.



BARBARA CAVANAUGH 184 Green St., Reading

"Cavy" expects to remember the piano stool in Mr. Bennett's room . . . tops on the list of favorite school subjects for Barb was Mr. Crowley's math class . . . next year she expects to be a telephone operator.

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ANN CHRISTENSEN
51 Auburn St., Reading

Attractive, blue-eyed Ann plans to join the Women's Air Force next year . . . enjoys bowling, swimming, and trips to Melrose . . . math, homeroom with Mr. Bennett, and fifth-period study were favorites . . . ambition — to marry the perfect man.



ANNE COLBURN 193 Prescott St., Reading

Good-natured Anne plans to attend Maine University next year . . . Press Correspondent for J. W. C., Worthy Advisor of Rainbow . . . member of Pioneer Profile Staff, Senior Play Property Committee, basketball team . . . Mr. Bennett's homeroom is Anne's favorite memory.



RICHARD W. COOMBS 10 Criterion Rd., Reading

Dick plans to join the Navy next year . . . his ambition is to be a commercial artist . . . photography, DeMolay, and ice skating are Dick's hobbies . . . favorite memory of R. H. S. is Miss Drury's Consumer Education class.



Class

JEAN CORINDIA 42 Dudley St., Reading

Jean . . . one of our peppiest cheerleaders . . . cute and full of fun . . . favorite memories include study, lunch periods, bowling, and hectic slumber parties . . . next year Jean plans to sit on the knee of a handsome boss.



WILLIAM J. CRAWFORD, JR. 36 Evergreen Rd., Reading

Handsome Bill . . . made his mark in the Senior Play . . . Play Reading Committee, Literary Staff, DeMolay, and camping keep him busy . . . remembers a certain French teacher . . . immediate goal, Williams or Cornell and a career in biology.



GLENNA F. CREAMER 167 Van Norden Rd., Reading

"Glen," with her winsome manner . . . well known for her bright auburn hair . . . active in Chorus and Baton Squad in sophomore year . . . a staunch supporter of our teams . . . loyal Rainbow member . . . future plans include office work.



MARY JANE CROCK
72 Hartshorn St., Reading

The girl who brightened many a dull school day for her classmates . . . Baton Squad, history with Mr. Bennett, Latin III kept Mary busy . . . member of the Pioneer Profile Staff, J. W. C., Rainbow . . . next year, University of Maine.



THELMA CROSWELL Poplar Terrace, N. Reading

Quiet and friendly "Thel".. takes great interest in her part-time job . . . favority subject is bookkeeping . . Thelma was one of the many who waited patiently for the 2:30 bell . . . future plans are undecided.

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ELLA DALEY 16 Winter St., Reading

Ella . . . quiet and reserved . . . her main ambition is simply to graduate . . . favorite subjects, typing and history . . . Ella will enter comptometer school next fall . . . among her memories are looking forward to the 2:30 bell and vacations.



MURIEL DAVIS 10 Middlesex Ave., Reading

Muriel . . . outstanding member of the Baton Squad, girls' basketball team and Chorus . . . she will never forget Consumer Education with Miss Drury . . . future plans include college and preparation for a career as a teacher of physical education.



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JANE deBRIGARD 118 Prescott St., Reading

Janie . . . our hard-working Co-Editor of the Pioneer . . . corresponding secretary of J. W. C. . . . skating and Rainbow help to keep her out of mischief . . . member of Senior Play Cast and Program Girls . . . plans to attend art school and then — Europe?



JANE G. DECATUR 29 Lawrence Rd., Reading

Janie . . . our cute ballerina from Medford High . . . efficient president of J. W. C. . . . member of Pioneer Literary Staff, Senior Executive Board, Senior Play Cast, Play Reading Committee, and Rainbow . . . plans for the future include Emerson College and "her Dickie.'





LOIS D'ENTREMONT 17 Warren Ave., Reading

Lois . . . the girl with a bub- Bob's chief memory of R. H. S. Bob . . . has fond memories of bling personality...her ambiis the "dull pencil sharpeners" Miss Archambault's English tions are to attend Comptometer School and some day type sixty words a minute . . . one of her fondest memories of R. H. S. is English with Miss Batchelder.



ROBERT K. DODGE 36 Federal St., Reading

. . . his favorite subject is Art . . . a future teacher in a secondary school . . . Bob enjoys DeMolay, skating, and sketching . . . was a member of the Chorus in "Old Smokey."



ROBERT W. DOIRON 75 Green St., Reading

III class . . . plans to join the Marines next year . . . hopes to own a new Buick in the near future to take him to those high ski slopes.

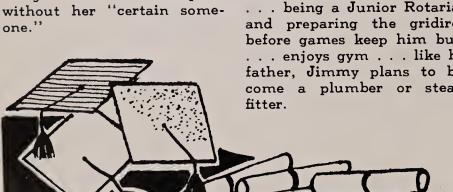


DONALD C. DOLBEN 17 Bond St., Reading

After college, Don's main ambition in life is success. he'll never forget Mr. Pope's experiments . . . our seriousminded football star shares his spare time with National Honor Society, DeMolay, Traffic Squad, and the track team.

MARGARET DONEGAN 21 Federal St., Reading

Saturdays meant Baton Squad for this energetic girl . . . Music Appreciation, bookkeeping, and lunch are her favorite memories of R. H. S. . . . here is just the girl to brighten someone's office . . . Margie's life is incomplete without her "certain some-





KENNETH W. ELDEN 206 West St., Reading

The lad with the green car . . . that's Ken . . . no college plans for next year, he claims . . . wants to get a job . . . enjoyed Consumer Economics with Miss Drury . . . Mr. Wogan's third-period study holds many memories.



JAMES P. DONNELLY 148 Bancroft Ave., Reading

Jimmy . . . member of the Projection Crew and golf team . . . being a Junior Rotarian and preparing the gridiron before games keep him busy . . . enjoys gym . . . like his father, Jimmy plans to become a plumber or steam



ROBERT D. ELLIS 34 Hillside Rd., Reading

Bob . . . active on football squad . . . also an officer in DeMolay . . . will always remember Physics with Mr. Pope . : . after a hitch in the Navy he hopes to become a State Police trooper.

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MICHAEL DONNELLY 55 Mt. Vernon St., Reading

Mike . . . the little guy with a big grin . . . diligent member of the Literary and Art Staff, Traffic Squad, and Senior Executive Board . . . enjoys skiing and swimming . . . will always remember unprepared French homework . . . next year, Northeastern.



HELEN EISENHAUR Haverhill St., N. Reading

"Sugar," from North Reading, enjoys dancing and bowling . . . history with Mr. Bronner and Consumer Economics with Miss Drury, her favorite classes ... after graduation she plans to work in Jordan's or Filene's ... we wish Helen good luck.



ROBERT E. ELLIS 14 Libby Ave., Reading

A terrific football player . . . Bob rates his physics class with Mr. Pope tops . . . member of both the football and the basketball squads . . . his favorite memory, the Saturday night quarterbacks at the Canteen . . . Bob's ambition, a million dollars.



JOEL ESTEY Comeau Rd., N. Reading

Likable Joel . . . took the College Course . . . chose algebra as his favorite subject . . . favorite memories of R. H. S. include Mr. Roewer's Spanish class . . . enjoys all sports, especially fishing . . . in the future Joel hopes to work in forestry.

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PATRICIA EVANS
27 Warren Äve., Reading

Patsy...always ready with a witty remark...efficient secretary to Mr. Bennett...twice-elected president of Jr. C. D. A...ambition—private secretary to a boss who dictates very slowly...especially remembers Chorus in her sophomore year.



SALLY FITZPATRICK 47 Oak St., Reading

Sweet, likable Sally . . . member of Baton Squad, Pioneer Literary Staff . . . candy girl for Senior Play . . . treasurer of J. W. C. . . . has fond memories of parties and history class . . . Sally plans to attend Regis College next year.



JOHN FLEMING
19 Green St., Reading

Happy-go-lucky Jack . . . known for his wit . . . football, basketball, and girls rate tops with this likable lad . . . ambition is to own a new Lincoln . . . member of the football squad . . . the Navy beckons Jack after graduation.



MARGUERITE FRASCO 29 Chapin Ave., Reading

Our little Margie plans to go on to office work next year . . . she leaves R. H. S. with fond memories of history and Mr. Hanlon's homeroom . . . Senior Play candy girl . . . Baton Squad . . . member of Pioneer Profile Staff.





ARTHUR FRAUMENI 81 Haverhill St., N. Reading

"Art," known for his goodnatured, quiet way . . . spent his junior year at Lawrence Academy . . . remembers the boys in the lunchroom and the Algebra II class . . . hopes to attend Harvard or Princeton next year.



GEORGE FROST 272 Ash St., Reading

Audacious and loquacious . . . Jack will attend either Tufts or Maine . . . hopes to enter the field of electronics . . . member of Traffic Squad . . . his performance in the Senior Play will long be remembered . . . favorite memory is French with Mme. Wadsworth.



WILLIAM GALLAGHER
35 Fairview Ave., Reading

One of the quiet lads of our class, Bill expects to be an engineer . . . electronics hold his interest, while physics and chemistry are his favorite subjects . . . active member of Band, Traffic Squad, and Camera Club.



RICHARD GALLANT 23 Criterion Rd., Reading

Dick's likable personality and genial disposition have won him many friends at R. H. S. . . . centers his class interest around Art with Miss Roy . . . Assistant Art Editor of Pioneer . . . hopes to reach Florida's beaches next year.

BARBARA GAW 188 West St., Reading

Mischievous "Barbie" plans to go into nurses training after her graduation from Reading High...doesn't seem to have a favorite subject, but enjoyed — yes — homeroom and lunch...says she'll never forget parties at 42 Dudley Street.



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WILLIAM S. GEARY 24 Minot St., Reading

Musically inclined Bill . . . member of Chorus and the orchestra . . . Band president during his junior and senior years . . . Chorus, favorite subject and memory . . . plans to attend the New England Conservatory of Music . . . ambition, to be a music teacher.



BARBARA GERRIOR 33 Line Rd., Reading

This ardent football fan claims English with Miss Batchelder and seventh-period lunch her favorite periods... Barbie will always remember homeroom with Mr. Hanlon... singing, Chorus, and reading are interests of this future secretary.



Class

HELEN GILL 217 Woburn St., Reading

This petite lass is a newcomer to our ranks, but makes friends easily, according to reports from a tow-headed boy . . . Miss Drury's bookkeeping class is her fond memory of R. H. S. . . . plans to be a career girl.



CLAIRE F. GONZALO 212 Main St., Reading

"Chickie" . . . member of the Baton Squad and Chorus . . . chief interest, "that good-looking boy from Lawrence" . . . remembers math with Mr. Baker and sixth-period-lunch cheering section . . . next year's plans, to work in the telephone office.



HOWARD R. GOODWIN
79 Van Norden Rd., Reading

"Red," member of the Color Guard... favorite school subjects shop and physics... football and girls are Red's chief interests... Mr. Pope's physics class and Miss Archambault's English class are unforgettable memories... Red is a future farmer.



BLANCHE E. GOSSELIN 224 Washington St., Reading

"Bea"...shy but sweet...
efficient member of the Typing Staff...enjoys dancing,
football games, and bowling a
higher score than Lois'...
especially liked shorthand and
typing... "Bea" will attend
comptometer school... we
predict nothing but success.



MARY GREENE 32 School St., Reading

Pretty, fun-loving, and mischievous — that's Mary . . one of our talented Bator Squad members . . . although her favorite subject is history Mary's favorite memory of ok R. H. S. is Friday afternoon . . . her chief interest is Somer ville boys.

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NANCY L. HALL 70 Mt. Vernon St., Reading

Animated "Nan," our peppy cheerleader . . . pastimes include basketball, ticket-selling, J. W. C., Rainbow . . . will never forget algebra with Mr. Fitzgerald . . . biology was her favorite subject . . . will surely fulfill her ambition to become a nurse.



DAVID HARLOW 16 Gould St., Reading

"Butch," next year's buck private . . . yes, it's the Army for this affable lad . . . member of Camera Club (to photograph his main interest, girls?) . . . on his sports docket, baseball, football, and basketball . . . favorite memory of R. H. S. . . . Room B.



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NORMA HARRIS 32A John St., Reading

"Norm" will always remember her conversations with Miss Drury and Miss Batchelder's English class . . . bookkeeper and treasurer for the Reading Youth Council . . . chief interest, a certain sailor . . . member of Pioneer Profile Staff . . . future plans undecided.



VERA HARVEY
97 Forest St., Reading

Possessor of outstanding artistic ability . . . contributed to the work of the Pioneer Art Staff . . . member of Program Girls and girls' basketball team . . . recalls the spring of 1953 . . . plans to find success in the secretarial field.





EDWIN HEALY
19 Parkman Rd., Reading

That physics class is tops with Ed... this lad belongs to the basketball and football squads and to the National Honor Society... wants to be a successful engineer after M. I. T. ... we think he will.



NANCY ANN HENRY 319 Park St., N. Reading

"Red" . . . energetic member of the Baton Squad . . . will be remembered for her friendly smile and long red hair . . . rich in friends, Nan is looking forward to a special trip to Dixieland and Boston University after graduation.



JERI L. HULL 104 North St., N. Reading

Latin I and "Red" are synonymous . . . ice skating, swimming and dancing occupy most of our future model's time . . . next year this bundle of sunshine from Florida will be working, though where is still uncertain.

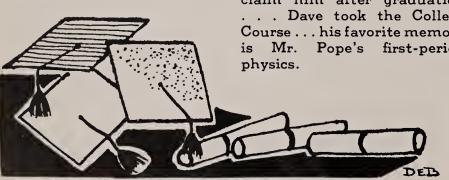


ELEANOR JARVIS
512 Summer Ave., Reading

"Elie" . . . future private secretary . . . likes shorthand . . . remembers Miss Batchelder's English class . . . likes dancing, skating, and football games . . . member of the Pioneer Profile Staff . . . prominent member of the Reading Youth Council.

JUDITH JELLISON 53 Salem St., Reading

Cute, vivacious Judy . . . activities include Baton Squad, Pioneer, J. W. C., Senior Play, 4-H, and serving as secretary of Jr. C. D. A. . . . favorite subject, Spanish . . . favorite memory, the pandemonium of play rehearsals . . . Judy hopes to become a medical secretary.



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MELVIN JONES 132 Park St., N. Reading

Council and the Traffic Squad . . . this lad from "up North" is looking forward to Northeastern next year . . . preferred math to other subjects . . . thoughts of physics will always bring a smile to Mel.



DAVID JOHNSON 39 Berkeley St., Reading

Dave's interest lies mostly in Colby . . . however, he does enjoy playing basketball . . . Tufts or Northeastern will claim him after graduation . . . Dave took the College Course . . . his favorite memory is Mr. Pope's first-period



CAROL JOYCE 398 Park St., N. Reading

"Mel"... member of Student A vivacious girl with a mi chievous smile and helpful manner . . . efficient secretary to Miss Chiesa . . . capable member of Business Staff . . . a part-time job at Sailor Tom's helps occupy her time . . . plans to be a secretary.

Class



GERALDINE JOHNSON 10 Sylvan Rd., Reading

Our head cheerleader with the lovely blonde hair . . . will attend Bradford Junior College . . . activities include J. W. C. and serving as a Senior Play candy girl . . . Gerrie looks for success in the future with 49 as her guide.



MARCIA A. JOHNSON 307 Ash St., Reading

An attractive and likable cheerleader . . . member of the Student Council, Pioneer Staff, basketball team, Senior Play Cast, and National Honor Society . . . president of Tri-Hi-Y . . . hopes to attend Springfield College and become a teacher of physical education.



PATRICIA KEANE 45 Bear Hill Rd., Reading

There is never a dull moment when Pat's around . . . goodnatured member of the batontwirling set and Mr. Oliver's Chorus . . . favored shorthand and finds fourth-period study hard to forget . . . plans to do office work after graduation.



DOROTHY KENNEDY 75 Hancock St., Reading

"Dottie" . . . a future nurse . . . a member of the Senior Executive Board, J. W. C., and Pioneer Business Staff . . . a Senior Play candy girl . enjoyed seventh-period lab with Mr. Pope . . . hopes to attend Melrose School of Nurs-

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WILLIAM KNOWLES

9 Warren Ave., Reading

Bill . . . took the General Course in high school . . . will remember longest his course in physics with Mr. Pope . . . doesn't look forward to serving Uncle Sam . . . elects basketball as his favorite sport.



SANDRA J. LANE Marblehead St., N. Reading

"Sandy" dreams of owning a Cadillac convertible . . . plans to attend teachers college next year . . . this faithful Sunday school teacher will be remembered for her sense of humor . . . takes pleasure in remembering her Spanish classes.



SALLY LEIGHTON Haverhill St., N. Reading

Here's vivacious Sally, one of our prettiest cheerleaders . . . it's dancing, singing, and one "Jigga" for this gal with the vibrant personality . . . favorite memory of R. H. S. — those 2:00 p.m. cheerleader practices . . . Katherine Gibbs will welcome popular Sally.



NORMA MacGRATH
6 Wood End Lane, Reading

Fun-loving Norma...member of our peppy Baton Squad and Junior Woman's Club... finds history, typing, and bowling very enjoyable...Vermont Junior College beckons Norma, who plans to become a laboratory technician someday.





ALEXIS MacKAY 67 Woburn St., Reading

Enthusiastic, lively, "Lucky"... plans to attend Burdett College and become a successful secretary... activities—Pioneer Business Staff, Rainbow, B. Y. F... will always remember science with Mr. Soule and Miss Batchelder's stories... special interests include swimming, skating.



STANTON MacLEAN 114 Pleasant St., Reading

To be his own boss is "Clink's" ambition . . . biology with Mr. Wogan ranks high on Stan's list of favorite memories . . . outside of school, his interests are sports, especially hockey and basketball.



DONALD MACPHERSON 11 Harriman Ave., Reading

Don . . . track captain . . . usually seen "digging" in his Renault . . . member of the R. H. S. Band and Orchestra, and the Reading Symphony Orchestra . . . claims Spanish holds charms . . . physics is another memory . . . Northeastern or U. of M. for Mac.



JANE MADDEN
228 Washington St., Reading

"Janie," Mr. Crowley's efficient secretary . . . Profile Staff, Play Reading Committee, Junior Woman's Club kept her busy . . . favorite subject, Consumer Education . . . plans to attend Mt. Ida Junior College . . . afterwards she hopes to be a medical secretary.

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MARILYN MARSHALL 8 Burroughs Rd., N. Reading

Marilyn . . . member of Baton Squad and Ticket Girls . . . plans to attend Fisher Junior College next year . . . her ambition is to be a secretary . . . favorite memories of R. H. S. for Marilyn are her courses in typewriting and bookkeeping.



PRISCILLA MARSHALL

25 Tamarack Rd., Reading

A successful career is this girl's ambition . . . next year it's Westbrook Junior College . . . has fond memories of Mr. Bennett's history class . . . Priscilla will be remembered as a shy blonde lass with a sweet personality.



DANIEL MATTHEWS

31 Park Ave., Reading

Tall, personable, and quiet . . . Danny is one of our best basketball players . . . his friends enjoy his sense of humor . . . Danny's future plans are undecided, but we are sure that he will be successful.



Class

STANLEY F. MAXWELL, JR. 46 Pinevale Ave., Reading

Stan leaves lunch-room discussions behind, with hopes of teaching . . . he has well occupied his outside school hours with Pilgrim Fellowship, DeMolay, and stamp collecting . . . his in-school joy is history . . . Senior Play publicity chairman, member of N. H. S.



WENDELL McINTIRE 2 Cedar St., N. Reading

"Mac"... struggled through the College Course during his three years at R. H. S. . . . elects the University of Massachusetts for next year . . . being an officer in DeMolay and working in his father's garage occupy most of Mac's spere time.



CAROLYN McKEAGUE Lowell Rd., N. Reading

Agreeable "Connie"... subject to Mr. Spencer's remarks regarding North Reading and women in general... has a kind word for everyone... until next fall, when wedding bells will ring, she will be a telephone operator.



KENNETH McKIE 12 Ellis Ave., Reading

Need a genius? . . . Ken's your man . . . whizzed through the College Course, with science a favorite . . . will remember first-period chemistry with Mr. Aldrich . . . three years at Middlebury and then M. I. T. are Ken's plans for the future.



PHYLLIS McKIE 12 Ellis Ave., Reading

Cute Phyl . . . member of Rainbow, Reading Ski Club, and Junior Woman's Club . . . enjoys skiing and sailing in her spare time . . . rated French as her favorite subject . . . next year Phyl plans to attend Vermont Junior College.

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JOAN McMANUS
526 Lowell St., Reading

Friendly Joan, with the sparkling smile . . . plans to start her business career next year . . . will always remember Miss Batchelder and her stories . . . J. C. D., J. W. C., and being secretary to Mr. Bennett keep Joan busy . . . enjoys dancing, swimming, typing, and lunch.



FRED W. MERRITT, JR. 20 John St., Reading

Fred plans to go to work and eventually will find his way into the service . . . has fond memories of Mrs. Cutcliffe's English class . . . enjoys hunting, fishing, hockey, and girls . . . hopes to have a car and money.



KAREN METCALF
16 Longview Rd., Reading

Vassar College beckons Karen
... Co-Editor of Pioneer, vicepresident of J. W. C., member
of National Honor Society,
program girl . . . Karen will
long remember her Latin
classes . . . hopes to travel as a
buyer for a New York store.



CHRISTINE MOBERGER 149 Hopkins St., Reading

Attractive "Chris" claims her ambition is to be a hairdresser . . . dancing and swimming are this girl's chief interests . . . Chris will never forget Miss Archambault's homeroom and English periods . . . activities include Baton Squad and baskethall





CAROLE MOXCEY
202 Charles St., Reading

"Cammy," a baton twirler, will go to airline school to fulfill her ambition of becoming an airline hostess . . . quite adept at sports, she excels in swimming, tennis, and skating . . . Miss Martyn's sophomore English class holds many memories.



AGNES MYHRE
15 Linden St., Reading

Another "Chickie," this one quiet and sedate . . . member of the Pioneer Art Staff and president of the Reading Youth Council . . . favorite memory, Miss Batchelder's English class . . . hobbies are art and rollerskating . . . plans for the future are undecided.



ROBERT W. NOSEWORTHY
Cottage St., N. Reading

Bob...enthusiastic member of Band and Orchestra... favorite subject, Pre-Induction Physics...ambition is to be a Diesel mechanic... favorite sport, hockey... will always remember Band rehearsals... plans for next year as yet are undetermined.



ROBERT NOWELL
33 Virginia Rd., Reading

"Red" plans to attend Northeastern University to fulfill his ambition to become a successful florist . . . favorite subject, Spanish . . . member of the basketball team . . . he will never forget those hectic lunch periods in the spacious lunchroom.

MAUREEN O'BRIEN 15 Lee St., Reading

Cute colleen . . . member of Baton Squad, J. W. C., Pioneer Profile Staff, and Student Council . . . "Mo" hopes to attend Simmons . . . letters from New Mexico are among her prized possessions . . . Canteen and Stoneham boys interest Maureen.



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MICHAEL O'BRIEN 365 Ash St., Reading

Mike, diminutive in size but not in personality . . . keen-witted and even-tempered . . . well liked by all . . . short girls and hot rods are his chief interests . . . Coast Guard Academy is in sight for Mike.



JOHN F. O'DONNELL 126 High St., Reading

Affable Jack . . . works parttime as a stock boy in Grant's . . . member of the Band, Orchestra, baseball team, and football squad . . . playing trumpet, football, cars, and money are his main interests . . . Wentworth Institute next for Jack.



Class

SANDRA O'DOWD 40 Pearl St., Reading

"Sandy," Miss Kling's capable secretary, hopes to fulfill her ambition to travel by becoming an airline hostess... member of Program Girls... English and typing, her favorite subjects... will remember Mr. Bennett's history class.



JOANNE OLDENBROOK
39 Hampshire Rd., Reading

Joanne, nice to look at, but nicer to know . . . head of the Baton Squad . . . Joanne hopes to become a registered nurse . . . Mr. Spencer's Latin class will stay in her memory . . . nursing school next in sight.



ALAN OLIVER
13 Middle St., Reading

"Al," whose ambition is to own a sporting goods store, claims physics as his favorite subject . . . he will don a Marine Corps uniform after graduation . . . favorite sports are basketball and hockey . . . among those who enjoy lunchtime.



JANICE OLSON 9 Wilson St., Reading

"Jan" . . . tall, attractive blonde . . . plans to attend Massachusetts School of Art, where she hopes to become a commercial artist . . . roller-skating, sketching and basketball occupy Jan's spare time . . . ranks Mr. Roewer's Spanish II class tops.



ROGER O'SHEA
518 Summer Ave., Reading

Rog's interests center around cars and sports, although his post-graduate plans include civil engineering at Northeastern . . . Senior Executive Board, Play Cast, and Camera Club claim Rog . . . who won't forget French with Mrs. Wadsworth.

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GEORGE O. PEACH 55 Chestnut St., N. Reading

"Peachie," a future airman, was our Sophomore Class President and is a Student Council member...his greatest ambition is to make his first million...besides boats and hot rods, "Peachie" enjoys physics with Mr. Pope.



ARLENE PENNO
132 Howard St., Reading

Arlene has a smile for everyone . . . favorite memories of R. H. S. include Miss Archambault's English and homeroom periods . . . a member of the Baton Squad for two years . . . plans to attend night school to train for I. B. M. work.



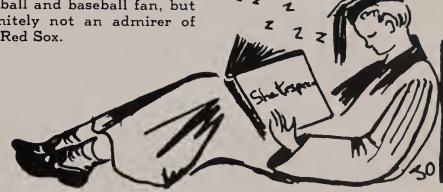
GERALD PETERS 58 Bay State Rd., Reading

Quiet Jerry plans to find work in or near Reading after graduation . . . ranks math as his favorite subject . . . he is a football and baseball fan, but definitely not an admirer of the Red Sox.



LOUANE PIERCE Marblehead St., N. Reading

Dimples and a shy smile characterize this little blonde . . . will remember Spanish, but rates chemistry as favorite subject . . . cars hold Lou's interest . . . R. H. S. ticket girl, member of J. W. C. . . . hopes graduation will lead to a nursing career.





BARRON PIGON 128 Salem St., Reading

"Ronnie"... capable member of the Pioneer Business Staff ... his ambition is to be a good disc jockey . . . Ronnie rates Miss Cox's English class his favorite subject . . . will never forget the sound of the 2:30 bell.



CLARA PITMAN
144 Haverhill St., Reading

Clara Mae dreams of being a nurse and owning a hot rod . . . claims Spanish as her favorite subject . . . will never forget a certain blonde . . . was a member of Rainbow and an R. H. S. ticket girl.



JANET POORE
6 Chestnut Rd., Reading

"Jan" . . . an ardent baton twirler . . . plans to enter Sargent College of Physical Education . . . to get Rich quick is her ambition . . . bowling and receiving "certain" letters are her hobbies . . . history with Mr. Bennett rates high with Jan.



JUDITH POPP 40 Prescott St., Reading

Judy . . . R. H. S.'s capable telephone operator . . . rates Mr. Hanlon's U. S. History class as her favorite . . . will always remember the spring of 1953 . . other interests include dancing and drawing . . . will continue as a telephone operator after graduation.

BILLIE PORTER 148 Park St., N. Reading

Quiet Billie . . . will always remember her senior year . . . ranks U.S. History as favorite subject . . . an expert on roller skates, Billie spends her leisure time at Skateland . . . next year will find her at Chandler Business School.



DAVID R. PULSON 324 South St., Reading

Good-looking Dave . . . member of the Traffic Squad . . . his chief interests are music and football . . . favorite subject was history . . . Dave's ambition is to be a teacher . . . next year he will be either in the Navy or at Bridgewater.



RICHARD L. REDMOND 189 Washington St., Reading

Here's friendly Dick, whose next year's plans are working and fulfilling his ambition to become a contractor . . model airplanes and football interest the lad with the likable personality . . . favorite memory, those long talks with Mr. Archambault.



Class

BARBARA RICHARDSON 11 Eaton St., Reading

Versatile Barbie . . . able member of girls basketball team . . . eventually hopes to travel around the world, but next year we will find her in nurses training . . . biology and study with Miss Zimmermann are among Barbie's memories.



GERALD RICHARDSON 370 South St., Reading

Jerry isn't going to waste any time making his first million . . . he plans to go right to work after graduation . . . rates Miss Cox's English and his lunch periods high . . . among the many who listen for that 2:30 bell.



JANICE RICHARDSON 119 Bancroft Ave., Reading

... rates bookkeeping tops... ambition, to be a success . . . English with Miss Batchelder is her favorite memory . . . member of Rainbow . . . aftergraduation plans are undecided . . . but we predict success for this charming miss.



CHARLES RILEY 1177 Main St., Reading

"Jan" — neatness personified Short and amiable . . . after a post-grad course Charlie's off to G. E. for an Apprentice Course . . . hunting and autos hold his interest . . . hopes to own an M. G. someday . . . study and the 2:30 bell kept him happy.



KENNETH H. ROBERTS 185 County Rd., Reading

"Zeke" longs for a soft job with good pay . . . plans to find it next year in the U.S. Marine Corps . . . rates English as his favorite subject, but waited patiently for 2:30 . . . chief interest? girls.

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MARILYN ROGERS 119 Salem St., Reading

Industrious "Min" . . . member of the National Honor Society . . . she breezed through the College Course, ranking mathematics as her favorite subject . . . rollerskating and dancing occupy her leisure time . . . next year will find "Min" at Framingham Teachers College.



NANCY ROGERS
38 Pleasant St., Reading

Lively, energetic "Nan"... chief interests include collecting records and going to football games... will never forget Music Appreciation, Chorus, and seventh-period lunch... ambition, to be an airline hostess... success lies ahead for "Nan."



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PATRICIA ROONEY 10 Center Ave., Reading

"Pat" sees a secretarial school in her future . . . member of Rainbow . . . her chief interests are bowling, Canteen, and boys . . . Consumer Economics with Miss Drury is tops with "Pat" . . . she will never forget eighth period.



HUGH ROSS 54 Hanscom Ave., Reading

Friendly and witty... "Sandy"
... rugged member of the
Traffic Squad and secretary
of Hi-Y... hopes to attend
Massachusetts Maritime
Academy... enjoys baseball
and swimming... in school,
history and science... will
always remember his phenomenal aptitude for languages.





HERBERT L. SCHEINER
31 Avon St., Reading

Herb...Class President in our Junior year... active in Student Council, National Honor Society, Traffic Squad... member of basketball and baseball squads... interested in music... enjoyed Latin classes... ambition, to decide what he is going to be.



JACQUELINE SELFRIDGE 88 Colburn Rd., Reading

Quiet but amiable Jackie, an ardent football fan . . . hobby, collecting records . . . won't forget either Music Appreciation with Mr. Wegiel or Chorus . . . math rates tops . . . we all know Jackie will be successful in anything she chooses.



JOAN SILVA 27 Lincoln St., Reading

A charming girl and a chic dresser, Joan looks forward to business school and hopes to become a career girl . . . favored history and English . . . will remember Miss Drury's classes . . . hobbies include ice skating and reading.



LAWRENCE SKINNER
Main St., N. Reading

"Red"... capable member of the Pioneer Business Staff... rates math tops... his favorite sports include hockey and football... next year "Red"plans to don the familiar navy blue... will never forget lunch or the 2:30 bell.

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ROBERT SMITH 40 Martin Rd., Reading

A future motorcycle policeman, "Smitty" will enter the Air Force next year . . . memories of R. H. S. are homerooms and the boys' lunchroom . . . longs for the open for hunting, baseball, and motorcycling.



RONALD SMITH 10 Smith Ave., Reading

Ronnie's favorite memory of R. H. S. is junior and senior science . . . lunch and gym met with his approval . . . this football-squad member will be either working or in the Service next year — good luck, Ronnie.



BARBARA SNOW 62 Belmont St., Reading

Vivacious "Snowie"... will never forget Mr. Roewer and the small Spanish II class... member of the National Honor Society and girls' basketball team... Barbara especially enjoyed Latin... next year she will attend the University of Massachusetts.



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BEVERLY SNYDER 94 Vine St., Reading

A member of the Pioneer Business and Typing Staffs . . . Rainbow and Junior Woman's Club occupied petite Bev's time . . . besides football games and bowling, a senior boy interests her . . . next year's plans include comptometer school.



LOIS STEVENSON
Old Andover Rd., N. Reading

Quiet Lois has a smile for everyone...her future is still undecided, but she hopes to be an airline hostess... favorite hobby is rollerskating...Mr. Roewer's Spanish class has a place in her memory book.



NANCY STEWART
35 Washington St., Reading

The friendly girl with the twinkling eyes . . . member of Student Council, Assistant Literary Editor of Pioneer, Program Girl . . . Rainbow and J. W. C. are on her list . . . favorite memory, classes with Mary Jane . . . Deaconess Hospital claims ambitious Nancy.



RICHARD STOSEZ
35 Bancroft Ave., Reading

Busy member of the Technical Crew . . . Dick will always remember history with the girls . . . 2:30 will find him at Austin's Diner, but the future will find him as the owner of a chain of restaurants.



ANNE SURETTE 714 Pearl St., Reading

Anne... "super saleswoman" with football game tickets... her hobby is collecting figurines of horses... bookkeeping is her favorite subject... after a course at Burroughs Office Machines Training Center School, Anne will start her career.

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GERALD J. SURETTE 106 Libby Ave., Reading

Northeastern and a career in engineering are Gerry's goals . . . interested in football and hockey . . . enjoyed math and French most . . . will always remember U. S. History . . . a popular classmate . . . member of National Honor Society, Traffic Squad, Senior Executive Board.



PHILIP SURETTE 24 John St., Reading

Phil plans to go to work next year...his ambition is to be a skilled machinist...in school, his favorite subject is science, particularly Pre-Induction Physics with Mr. Pope... Phil enjoys playing baseball.



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JOAN SWEATT 8 Burroughs Rd., N. Reading

Joanie will always be remembered for her pleasant disposition and winning smile . . . liked music and was a member of the Chorus . . . favorite interests include basketball and United States history . . . hopes to become a telephone operator.



GERALD SWEETLAND Park St., N. Reading

Jerry . . . avid ''hot-rod'' fan . . . frequent visitor in Chemistry Lab after two-thirty . . . enjoyed Miss Drury's bookkeeping class . . . it seems a certain girl has caught his eye . . . success is certain in his future.





WILLIAM TALBOT
111 Green St., Reading

"Brother"...a familiar figure on the gridiron and basketball court...enjoys baseball, as well...claims history as his favorite subject...will never forget first-period study... after the Navy, "Brother" hopes to own his own business.



MARY TOWER
16 Chapin Ave., Reading

Cute and quiet . . . Mary will never forget Mr. Bennett's history class . . . she plans to go on to work next year and in the future to become a telephone operator . . . Mary rates history her favorite subject.



RITA TOWER
16 Chapin Ave., Reading

Rita... reliable ticket girl...
... plans to work for Bell Telephone Company... ambition, to get married... enjoys baseball and rollerskating... favorite subject, math... enjoys recollections of homeroom with Mr. Soule.



IRENE TURILLI MacArthur Rd., N. Reading

Amiable Irene . . . industrious Circulation Manager for Pioneer, ticket girl, member of Property Committee for Senior Play . . . three years of Latin with teasing Mr. Spencer are a pleasant recollection . . . Lowell Teachers College will welcome her next year.

DONALD UPTON
138 Chestnut St., N. Reading

"Upty"... will attend the University of Massachusetts next year... member of the Student Council... his interests include magic, hockey, and 4-H Club... history was his favorite subject... the 2:30 bell struck a happy note to his ears.



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GRETCHEN VEDDER 32 Copeland Ave., Reading

"Gretch," an enthusiastic cheerleader for two years and efficient secretary to Mr. Spencer . . . plans to attend nursing school . . . her favorite subject is Latin . . . active member of Canteen, basketball team, and Senior Executive Board.



ROSE VENUTI
22 Brook St., Reading

"Shorty"...known and liked by everyone...ambition, to make a million dollars...top subject, home economics... enjoys sewing...Rose hopes to enter a college of dress design..."Shorty's" favorite memory is all her friends.



Class

DOROTHY E. WALKUP Central St., N. Reading

Dottie's interests lie in swimming, ice skating, and the movies...her favorite memory is her senior homeroom... plans include attending sewing school and, she hopes, possessing a million dollars... Home Economics is her favorite subject.



EDWARD WEBB 309 Pearl St., Reading

Another Northeastern potential . . . Ed's favorite subjects are history and math . . . will never forget Mr. Roewer's Spanish class (nor will he be forgotten) . . . interests are boats, skating, and cars, although he is very fond of "Mit."



VIRGINIA A. WHITE
1 Parker St., Reading

"Ginny," cute and friendly, added her warm personality and talents to the Baton Squad, Chorus, and Jr. C. D. A. . . . favors shorthand, typing, and navy blue on a certain person . . . Ginny won't forget the Senior Prom of '52.



NATALIE ZANNI 310 Ash St., Reading

A cheerful "Hi!" . . . it's ou vivacious "Nat" . . . importan member of basketball team enjoys horseback riding . . one of those pretty Program Girls at the Senior Play . . favorite memory of R. H. S—homeroom . . . floral design ing will claim this ambitiou lass.

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JOHN BRANDON

36 Colburn Rd., Reading

Shy Johnnie plans to join the Air Force next year . . . Mr. Pope's physics class will be an outstanding memory of R. H. S. . . . coin collecting and football are the pastimes of this future carpenter or electrician.

TERRENCE DESMOND

8 Center Ave., Reading

Terry is still undecided about his future plans . . . active member of the R. H. S. basketball team . . . lunch is Terry's favorite diversion . . . of all his experiences at R. H. S., he has found Mr. Pope's classes most memorable.

DAVID HARRISON

17 Dunbar Rd., Reading

Dave is quite enthusiastic about cars, baseball, and football... considers lunch period his favorite... just loved to hear that freedom (2:30) bell ring... Dave plans to work after graduation and hopes to own a '50 Mercury.

CLYDE JOHNSON

Porter Rd., N. Reading

Clyde was a newcomer to our school this year . . . a steadfast member of the football squad . . . his interest lies in sports . . . plans to attend the University of Washington . . . enjoyed history and Mr. Pope's physics class best.

JANYCE RANLETT

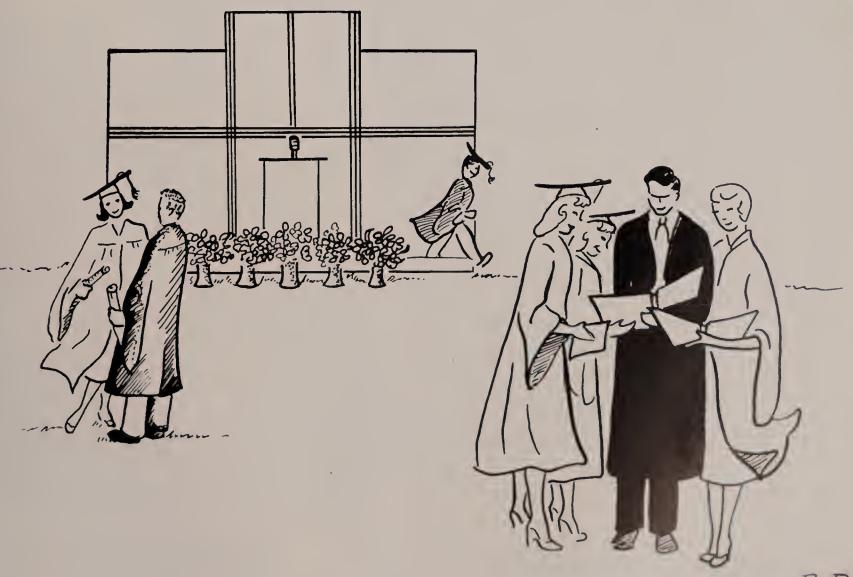
179 High St., Reading

"Jan" . . . member of Baton Squad and Chorus . . . enjoyed marching in front of the R. H. S. Band during the football season . . . her interests include dancing and swimming . . . Modern European History heads her list of favorite subjects.

JAMES WALL

14 Tamarack Rd., Reading

Good-natured Jim hopes to be a pilot . . . aviation school beckons him . . . cars are his hobby . . . favorite sport is hockey . . . will always remember English with Miss Cox . . . favorite memory is not unique — that 2:30 bell.



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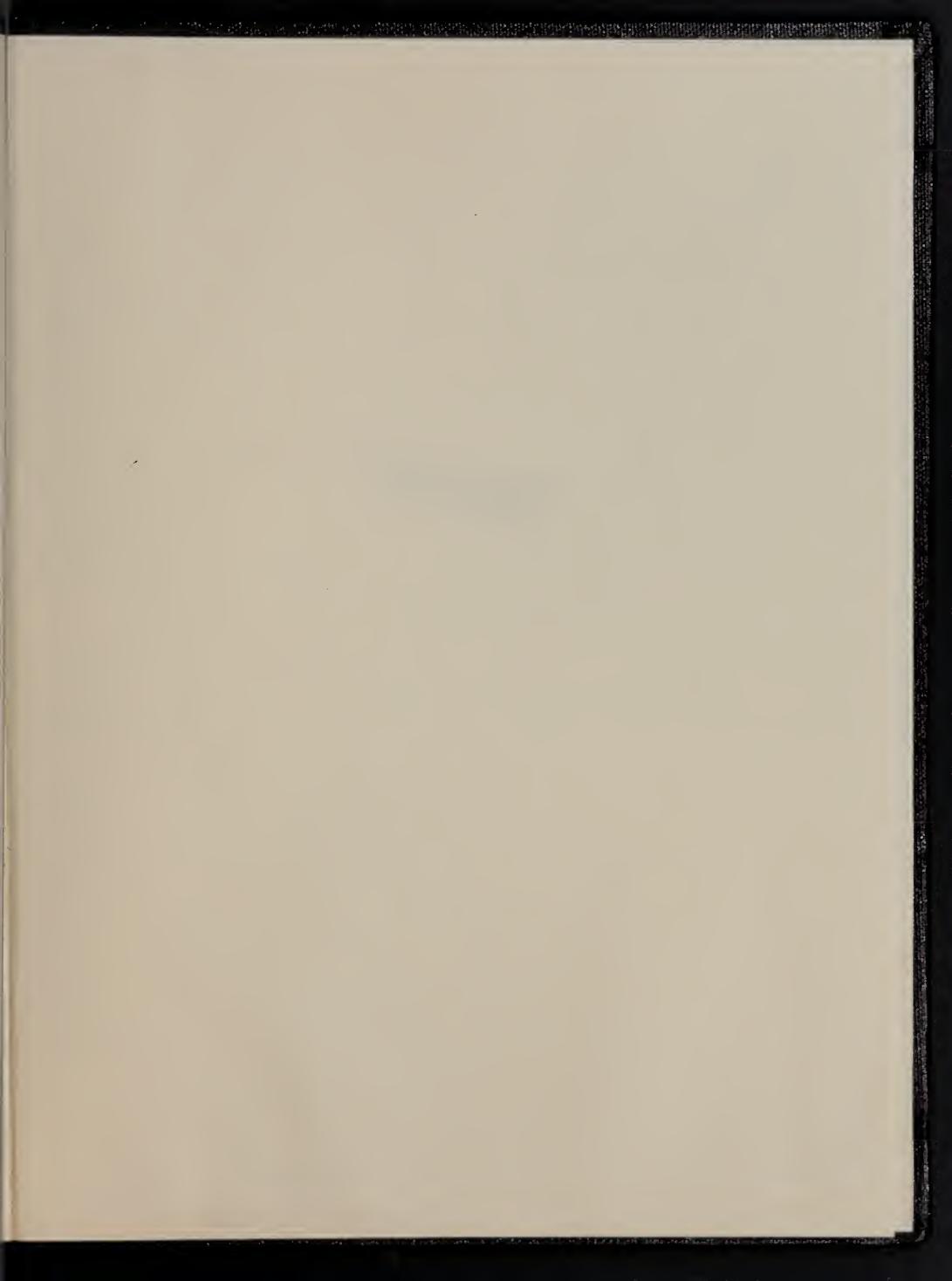
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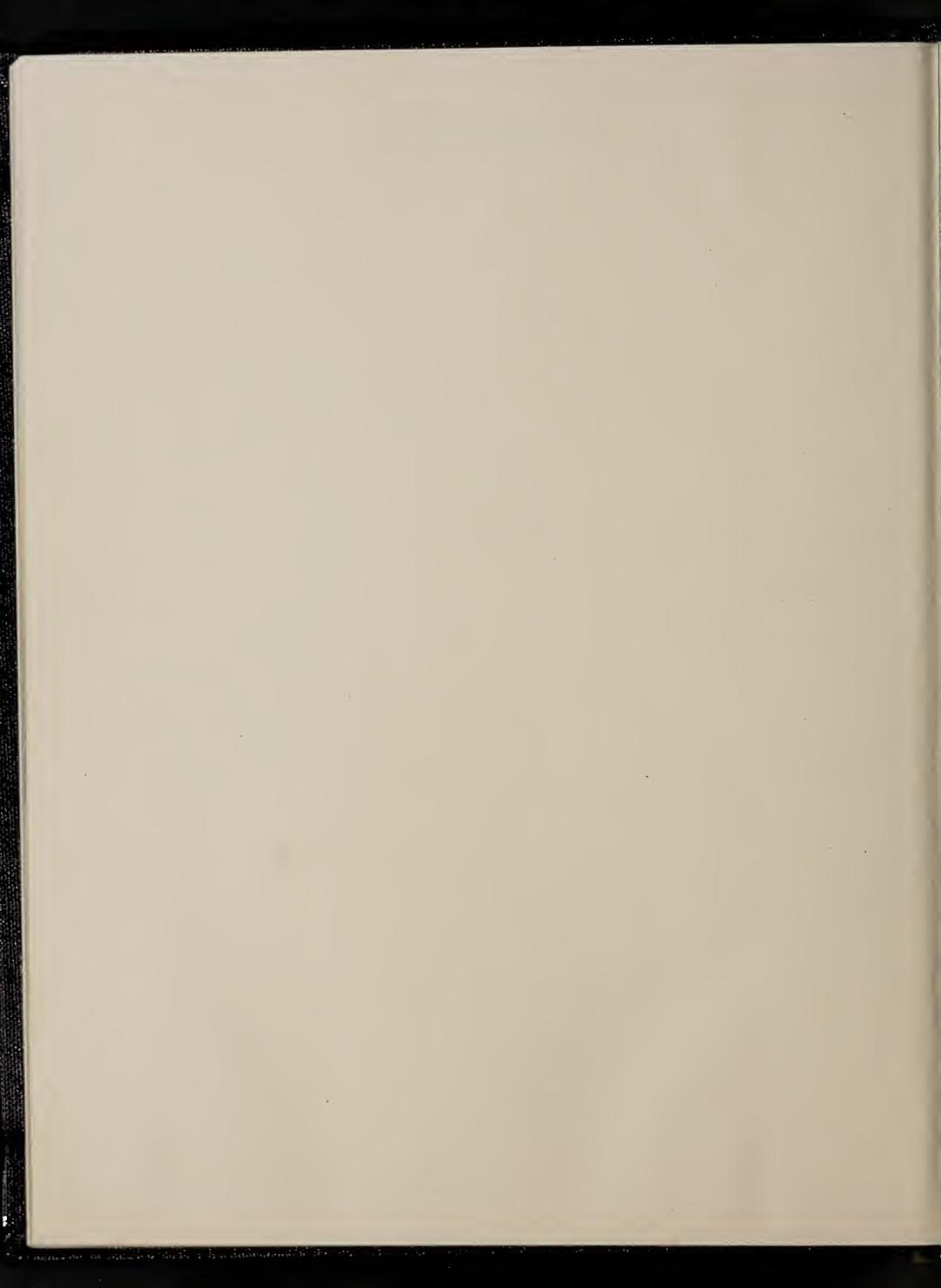
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